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ADDRESS
OF THE
CARRIER OF THE
WOBURN JOURNAL,
TO ITS PATRONS.

A Happy New Year is the Carrier's cheerful song,
As he greets each happy patron, on the New Year's early morn;
Blessings and honors with wealth, abundant may they flow,
With health and many years enjoyment wherever you may go.

Another year has passed its rounds,—Time ever on the wing;
The mission of the Carrier comes, like every earthly thing.
His words are few, his claim is small.
His *bow* receive, he *gives it* as his all.

In health, and in sickness, in sunshine, and in storms,
He has travelled on his pathway, regardless of the thorns;
As weekly he has greeted you, in joy or in sorrow
With the model "Woburn Journal," which you never need to *borrow*.

The "Journal" is the "herald" of events through the day,
It always aims at virtue's side, and scorns the sinners way;
It never wounds a broken reed, or mars the good man's home,
But beckons back the wayward child, by kindness, not to roam.

It loudly pleads for temperance, and vet es laws for rum,
It advocates the poor man's rights, the soldier with his gun;
The fireman's cause it well sustains, the farmer at his plough,
The working man it fully meets, and wreaths his manly brow.

The merchant with his treasure, t e "Journal" will commend;
The lawyer, if his pleas are justice in the end;
For freedom on the ocean for freedom on the main,
And freedom of *opinion*, and freedom from the chain.

It will never "blot" old Woburn, her records, or her name,
But always stand her "sentinel," to guard her honored fame;
It will never soil its columns with vulgar words to please,
But aim at moral *bearings*, that all may read at ease.

Come all ye friendly patrons, and those who *mean to be*,
Support the "Woburn Journal," by sending in the *fee*.
The Carrier earns his title and here puts in his plea,
A *Coin* for his pocket, on this his "*New Year Jubilee.*"

Woburn, January 1st, 1854.

TO MY MOTHER.

A NEW YEAR'S OFFERING.

A few hours more, and then has passed away
The present year, with all its joys and woes,
Leaving to time and to eternity
A dread bequest—a record—ere it goes.

A ponderous volume, written through and through,
Its pages blotted by sin's dark career,
Save where some virtuous deeds illume a few,
And spare our race to hail a new-born year.

'Tis given thee, dear mother, one more gem
To weave into the crown of honored years;
A just reward! for virtue serves to stem
The flood of the recording angel's tears!

The past I scan in visionary mood;—
Out from their tombs long-buried memories press
Back to the hour when first to me you stood
The holy guide to dawning consciousness.

In glittering deeds thy love has showered its gold;
The wealth of mine has aye been hid from thee;
'Tis but a useless treasure,—only told
In moments when the world gives up the key.

Yet thou art in my thoughts, kindest and best!
No pen e'er need, or could, thy worth extol;
All that thou art indelibly 's impressed
On the eternal tablet of my soul!

The hearty greetings of the season, Fate
The joy of giving thee relentless steals;
Else would my heart no studied language wait
To utter all the grateful love it feels. J. C.

Boston, Dec. 22., 1853.

A SPIRIT PERPLEXED. Medium—All is now ready, madam—what question do you wish to put?

Widow—Why, ma'am, I must explain that I gave to my dear departed one (he was many years younger than myself) £200, to pay off a claim; and now he's gone, they have had the audacity to apply again for the money! Pray, therefore, ask my dear Augustus what he did with the receipt? [Punch.

Mr. Boyd, of the firm of Boyd & Streeter, of Norwich, Ct., won fifty dollars of a livery stable keeper on Thursday last, by walking six miles in 57 minutes. The stable keeper had objected to letting a horse and buggy to accomplish the same distance, with a short stop, in the same time.

THE TRUE PURPOSE OF LIFE.

An Address delivered before the Working Men's Association, Dec. 9, 1853, by J. KNIGHT, 3d, *and published by request.*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Every effort to improve is a laudable and encouraging enterprise; therefore I greet the establishment of this association with a glad heart and high hopes. Although in its infancy, I behold in the few faint rays of its morning beams the dawn of a perfect day, if its principals are devotedly carried out,—a day which is to give strength and vigor to the moral and mental advancement of a noble and worthy portion of the human family,—to the mechanic; he, who, like the supreme intelligence, creates and brings forth utility and beauty out of shapeless matter. But encouraging as appear the establishment of these associations, for our moral and mental improvement, there is much yet to be done before society shall have reached its "vertex," or I may even say ascended very far above its "Nadir." True, before anything like perfection shall have been attained, we must all study, learn, and become more familiar with the high and holy purposes for which we were created. Our passions, wild and furious, driving us in their mad career into a thousand absurdities and difficulties, must be trained into a calm and sober judgment, governed by a reason, which is guided by the light of culture and reflection. Envy, subtle and blasting in its effects upon the human character, must lay down its cold asperities and prostrate its icy form humble and repentant before the altar of true friendship. Selfishness, sordid and grasping, must yield to benevolence and widen out into a broad and generous philanthropy. And each individual should learn, know and seek out, the highest good of the great whole. Should consider, that of the great family of intelligences it makes one, and that of the great burden to be borne by the whole, it has an individual responsibility. Should consider and know, that every word it may utter or act perform, will be a cause from which there will proceed an effect, that will be felt when the tongue which articulated that word shall have wasted away, and those lips which gave it utterance have become as mute and cold as those of the marble bust; when the arm, which performed the act, shall have become nerveless and still, and the little circle or community which heard that word uttered, or saw that act performed, has mouldered back to silent dust. Yes, true it is, although the sound of that voice which uttered some simple sentence, it may be of some simple prayer, no longer rings upon the ear, that it has produced a spiritual vibration which still lives and quivers along the spiritual arteries of every living soul, bearing it aloft to some higher point of thought, action and duty, with a strength of purpose just in proportion as that sentence or prayer was high-toned in the conception of its sentiment, pure in its diction, and sincere when it came from the heart of the being who gave it utterance; and it is likewise just as true, that it has produced an influence, which will bear down every soul it has reached to a lower scale of disgrace and evil doing, just in proportion as that sentence or prayer was base in its design and hypocritical in its utterance.

In this short exordium, I have not only indicated the leading idea of my subject, but have written a preface that might appropriately be appended to the title page in the life of every human being, serving it as a leading star to guide it onward in seeking out the true purpose of life.

In pointing out what I conceive to be the true purpose of life, this evening, I shall take the liberty, or rather privilege, of throwing it in contrast with the *general* purposes of life.

The Purpose of Life.—Much of life seems to exist without any purpose at all, and the residue constitutes a purpose at once curious and complex, snarled up in tangled problems which seem to tax the most intelligent minds to solve their true meaning, but at the same time, aside from their subtle and secret motives, exhibiting much that is plain to be understood and profitable for reflection. The purposes of life are various and complicated indeed; one class of individuals make amusement the sole purpose of their lives, and become debauchees amid the phantoms of pleasure which float around them, and all their acts seem trivial and light. They sing, but the words of their song are idle and trashy, and its music has no spirituality. They walk out amid the scenes of nature and pluck the modest wild flower, pleased with its superficial beauty, just as the child is pleased with its toy, but think not and know not that the same source of life which spoke their own being into existence, also sustains the power of that life which perfected the beauty of that little flower now withering in their enervated hands. This class of individuals seem to occupy a position in life both vain and useless, and at times it seems difficult to determine of what advantage they are to society. Devotees of pleasure and idle fancies, they have no tastes for the solid food of sober thought and reflection; consequently, the acts of their dreamy day leave no mark upon the journey of life, by which the following traveller may be guided through its mysterious labyrinths of strife, gloom and sorrow. The morning of their lives has passed away, and all its vigor and vitality has been sacrificed to the idle goddess of pleasure in exchange for the mere toys and wasting tinselries of life. From childhood to youth, from youth up through the strength and vigor of the meridian of life, they have chased the wild phantoms of idle, dissolute pleasure, and the evening of their day finds them on the brink of the grave with demented souls and contracted minds, uttering their useless regrets over a life which has brought to their closing hours neither hope nor happiness, but through the lonely corridors of their vacant hearts life's autumnal winds send their hoarse tones, in sounds as dirge-like as the echoes of the falling footsteps of a traveller on the floors of deserted and crumbling halls.

One man makes the sole purpose of his life the ambitious search after universal or absolute dominion, and leaves not a single stone that may advance his purpose unturned on the highway to its summit. Supremacy is the "mark for the prize" in the "Studium" of his life. The aggrandizement of self is his highest aim, and the applause of the world is the only music which his ear delighteth to hear, and the only food his soul craves. France has gives us the best representation of such a man, and exhibits in the fullest light the perishing rewards of such efforts by the faded laurels upon the brow of her imprisoned despot and exiled king, who long since sunk to his grave in silent despair and sullen gloom. Born amid the scenes of strife and war, he inhaled from his infancy their poisoned miasma, and waded through seas of blood, over disappointed hopes, and crushed and bleeding affections, to the summit of his ambitious hopes and aims,—but, alas! how sad his closing career! Bowed down with the perplexities of disappointed hopes, he frets out his remaining days in miserable imbecility. Those eyes, once keen and penetrating, could still let rise and fall their sluggish glances, but displayed neither fire nor penetration. That form, which once rode triumphantly over the bloody fields of carnage and strife, and was praised amid the scenes of falling thrones, even before it had passed the gateway of death; to use his own words, "No longer lived, but only existed." The saddest eulogy that has ever been pronounced upon his strange and wild career, meteoric and brilliant, was his ascent to the meridian of his glory, as sudden his decline, and that strong and powerful life closed upon its possessor in a night of dark and delirious gloom, and the freed spirit passed back to its God from a form of clay still laboring in imagination amid the scenes of carnage and bloodshed.

Another man makes the accumulation of wealth the sole purpose of his life, and sacrifices his whole soul and being, shrivelled and blasted, upon the altar of mammon. Penurious and niggardly in his acts of benevolence, with a countenance haggard and careworn, he walks amid the scenes of social life. Avarice has parched and dried up in his heart the fountain of every kind and humane feeling. Maternality has gathered up its atoms and almost absorbed in its gross nature that spiritual jewel placed in the casket of his blighted clay, so that God finds no talent to call back to himself, enriched by religious and mental culture. Youth has come and gone. The strength and vigor of his manhood has passed into old age, where he beholds with gloomy forebodings the gloamin of his day fading out of time into an unknown future. Sad and dreary must be the close of such a man's life, in the winter of his age, with the reflection that he has had no youth which was touched by the gentler and diviner influences of our higher aspirations and warm-hearted emotions. By that friendship which lives above death's dissolving elements, and points the emblems of immortaltiy upon the tear-watered flower which blooms upon the grave of departed worth. By that sympathy which stirs up the deep fountains of our better nature, and wakes up our sleeping souls to a sense of the woes and wants of the erring, misguided and sorrowing of our race. Sad and dreary must be the close of such a man's life, in the winter of his age, with the sad reflection, that he has had no strong and vigorous manhood which was studded and beautified with the diamonds of mental culture; with the reflection that the soul and life, which he drew from the eternal source of all life, must return without usury, gangrened and blackened by the foul and blighting mildew of avarice. Sad and dreary indeed must be the close of such a man's life, in the winter of his age. The few hopes and joys of his youth are faded and gone, and their echoes produce only sad and mournful reverberations upon his shattered memory. The rough hand of time has borne away from him the strength and vigor of manhood's prime, but has left him no sustenance for the winter of life. Mentally wretched and starving he stands upon the brink of the grave, where ere long the sleet and the storm will be fretting away the marble shaft which pride shall have raised above his mouldering ashes.

If, then, the constant search and pursuit of pleasure thus enervates the intellect; if a constant striving after power and absolute dominion absorbs almost the whole of the divine essence in man; if sordid avarice, and the untiring search after gold, dry up the fountains of our sympathies, and the spiritual excellence of our natures; if the combined influences of these general purposes of life absorb the whole of human effort, then we must infer that it is the true purpose of life to modify their influences, and transform them into higher and holier aims.

Although we live amid so much waste of time and intellect, where cold-hearted selfishness and pernicious avarice raise their iron arms to crush out of every living human form the image of Almighty God, that they may fill their wasting coffers; although we walk amid the scenes of dissolving nature and the mouldering relics of our ease lie in countless myriads beneath the dust we tread upon, we have the assurance that there is that within us which lives above this carroding waste of time, and demands the noblest efforts of our lives to enrich and prepare it for a higher sphere of existence in sublimer realms beyond the mysterious vale of death. Therefore, it should be the highest aim of all our efforts to lift up above these perverting influences that diviner part of us, and to seek, through the source of every channel, the advancement of our moral, mental and sympathetic capacities. These sources are various, but I have time only to glance at a few of them. The first which I shall consider is that of social intercourse. Notwithstanding all this cold asperity in the world, and that, oftentimes paramount above all our nobler qualities and gentler feelings, selfishness, sways its power of aggression. God has so wisely attuned to sympathetic influence the feelings even of the most stupid and cold-hearted specimens of humanity, so that when their hearts are touched by its power, their pulsations quicken and vibrate to every note drawn from the great harp of humanity, each tone corresponding to its kindred tone, hatred to hatred, love to love, and virtue to virtue, in every instance where each is sincere, all the emotions to which the mind is subject. To illustrate, we may say, that there is not, probably, one of us but what, in the hasty impulse of momentary reflection, has breathed out harsh and bitter maledictions upon some one for nothing more than mere imaginary wrongs, and as a natural consequence, in return drawn back upon ourselves envious vituperations, as kindred fruits of our own rashness. Then again, there is the influence which sorrow and affliction has upon us. Yonder bell, as it peals forth the sad notes of the death-dirge, directs our eyes to the slow moving train of mourning humanity, treading their death-march to the silent tomb, while the deep kindred emotions of our natures paint upon our hearts the sorrow of each member of that sad procession, and causes the tear of sympathy to moisten the eye, being a living and real picture of what has, and often must be, our own actual experience in life. Then again are our moral emotions, sympathies and influences awakened, sustained and sent abroad into the world, by or through the medium of social intercourse; and in this capacity it is that we have a powerful influence over kindred minds, especially those of the young. Those young lips, long trained to give utterance to words of refinement, and songs and sentiments of the purest conception, how often have they been heard, after associating for a short time with the low and vicious, to utter with equal ease and unblushing modesty, the bachanalian song, and brutish rabble r of the besotted debauchee. Thus have I, though perhaps very imperfectly, set forth the influence which social intercourse has upon the human mind, and I would now urge its cultivation upon you, in consideration of its being one of the true purposes of life, and that purpose in life which is to melt away the iceberg of that aristocratic notion in society, which measures the worth of a man by the size of his heap of gold, instead of the intrinsic value of his religious worth, which he has enriched by the fruits he has plucked from the examples and teachings of Christ. That purpose or principle in life which is destined to break down the rules of cold conventionalism, and open a source in man's better nature, so that that spirit of christian charity may flow into his heart, which will cause him to step forth and acknowledge the mental and moral worth of him who dwelleth in a cottage, as well as of him who sitteth on a throne. That purpose in life which is destined to break down the cold asperities of religious sects, and to spread abroad over the world that sentiment, which was in the words of Christ when he said to the woman of Samaria, "Woman, believe me, the hour cometh when ye shall neither in this mountain, nor yet at Jerusalem, worship the Father." "But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth, for the Father seeketh such to worship him." This was a divine sentiment, and until its spirit sinks deep into every heart, it will be useless to raise churches for the religious, or form associations for the mental culture of the race.

Another source through which we may seek out and elevate our conceptions of the true purpose of life, is a choice and well regulated course of reading. This is a point in my subject the most difficult to approach, and faithfully treat upon. Our tastes in reading are, perhaps, as diversified and notional, as they are in dictating us in the choice of our food; and in many instances guide to a choice of reading which is as poorly adapted to our mental health, as unwholsome food is to our physical well-being. It is seldom that we find a person who does not eat enough, but the multiplicity of physical diseases which are constantly wasting away, dementing and dwarfing the race, give undeniable evidence that the food which we use is very indiscreetly chosen, both in kind and quantity. It is the same in reference to the food which we choose for our mental sustenance. To eat we all know is necessary for the preservation of life. To read is just as necessary for the preservation and enlargement of our mental capacities and endowments. The first suggestion which I shall make in reference to our reading, is this: that when we read, to read with care, and make what we read the subject of careful reflection, and, as far as we have the power, the topic of social conversation, so that what we know ourselves we may impart to others, and seek to draw those who may be so unfortunate as to be below us, up to a higher standard of knowledge; just as he who stands upon the apex of all knowledge and excellence, is beckoning to us to come up from the darkened base of error to the summit of truth; from the labyrinths of sin into the light of virtue and spiritual excellence, which is or should be the true purpose of life.

I shall make but one suggestion more under this head or department of my subject, and it is in reference to the choice of what we should read, and upon this subject I cannot do better than to use the words of a popular lecturer, which are these, "Read hard books." There is in this town a library containing about six hundred volumes of the best books in the State, (I use the term best, in a sense that admits of qualification,) and the charge to a single person for access to it for one year is only fifty cents; yet, I presume there are not one hundred volumes read from it in a single year; while there is, in the same period or length of time, at ten times that cost, more than three times its number of volumes of light trashy, yellow-covered nonsense read, to no possible benefit of a single person. Now it should be the determined purpose of our lives and efforts, to counteract the perverting influence which light and trashy reading has upon the young and flexible mind. I would not be understood to condemn all light reading, very far from that, for I consider a little romance not only necessary, but beneficial. It is only the excess which I would have you guard against. I might mention as specimens of profitable light reading, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and the romances of "Hawthorn;" but these should not be read for the mystery of their style or beauty of dress, but for the insight which they give us into private and humble life. With these imperfect remarks, I will take leave of this part of my subject, by urging you all to endeavor to draw from all your reading some nobler view of the true purpose of life, which is the putting forth of all our powers for the elevation, not only of ourselves, but for the whole human family, in religeous and mental culture.

Again, we may elevate our conception of the true purpose of life by a communion with the Supreme Being through the works of nature. The head, or intellect, may be benefitted by literary associations, (and of course to some extent the heart and soul,) but deep down below our intellects there is an element within our hearts which far transcends in excellence and beauty every other element of our nature, and it is that part of us which seeks to draw from every source a true knowledge of life and its duties. And there is, probably, aside from the bible, no other source by which we can learn more of life and God, than through his works in nature or the external world, and consequently no scenes in life with which we can commune with more profit. I do not mean profitable in the world's meaning, or usual sense of the term, but in a higher sense; profitable in the sense which lifts us above the world, above passion, and carries us to that point of goodness where our minds take a higher aim in, and a nobler view of life; a point where our souls drink deep of the spiritual fount of perfection, and we become truly the disciples of Christ. Others may differ from me in this view of the influence which nature has upon life, but, nevertheless, I believe that there is a truer and higher conception of Christian excellence, and the true purpose of life, to be drawn from a communion with such scenes as God has spread out for us in nature, than from all the creeds which sects have formed, or sermons that priests or curates have ever written and preached. Before alters, and in the presence of mitred heads, the heart grows cold and the head sleepy; but hearts and heads seldom grow cold or sleepy while wandering through the aisles of the green old woods. No intellect grows stupid beneath the solemn shade of the hoar old mountain, nor creed-wise and vicious while straying upon the flower-carpeted banks of a gurgling brook; but awed, softened and spiritualized by their combined influences, the whole inner man is drawn imperceptibly up to God, Christ and Heaven. We are peculiarly blessed with advantages for improvement by a communion with nature. Yonder is our famous "Rag Rock," with its bold, bare forehead, bidding defiance to sunshine and storm, in their alternate visitations upon its tough old form. Although nothing but a huge rock, and standing before us silent and stern, yet it is clothed in much attractive beauty, which suggest many ideas to us of life. High up on its old crown the dark cedars stand, with their hues of evergreen, eternal emblems of immortality, and, then, there are its sides, covered with a variety of forest trees, blending their variegated hues in one grand prism, strangly reminding us of our own lives, with their mingled compounds of joy and sorrow, good and ill, strife and wild enthusiasm, at times rash and overflowing, and then fading away almost into utter imbecility. These are but few of the countless ideas which each portion of God's creation suggests to us, if we will but open our ears to its tones of music, and our eyes to its thousand forms of sparkling beauty, which mingle in perfect unison of loneliness, from the tiny flower up to the dark, stern old forest, which scarcely bends to the tempest's rough stroke; and in tones of music, which rolls in liquid harmony of sound, from the gentle murmur which comes from the rustle of the rose leaf, up to old ocean's mighty diapason of thundering base, sending its ceaseless flow of sound upon rock and shore.

I might continue this train of thought long enough to fill several pages of manuscript, but I trust that enough has already been said in my imperfect way; but as imperfect as what I have said may be, I cannot but hope that I have suggested to some one some new idea or thought which may be of use in the pilgrimage of life. And now, my friends, in conclusion, permit me to say, that if we will only study, and seek to draw from every source some new idea of life, its true purpose and duties, our course will be onward and upward; and although the idea that an association for the literary and moral improvement of mechanics has been formed, may sound harsh and strange to ears polite, let our motto be onward, and ere long all opposition will cease, and each rebounding wave of contempt which may have been thrown up by the tide of scorn, will be only an impetus to impel us onward, in all our efforts, over the storm-crested sea of opposition, to honor, usefulness and the rewards of a laudable, noble and praiseworthy enterprise.

Written for the Journal.

HASTY DASHES.—No. 3.

Exposure to Danger.—A few days ago, having grown weary of the sight of chairs and lounges from a protracted intercourse with them, and thinking my instruments of locomotion would not be the worse for exercise, I repeated to myself this bit of poetry:

"My books may lie and mould,
However rare and old;
I cannot read to-day,
Away with books, away!"

And hurried off for a snuff of free air. But all I wished to say is, that to abreviate my trip, I decided to cross a moorland, which, though not strictly *terra firma*, was not impassable, as I thought. In the midst of my progress, however, where the ground seemed to promise most security, the sudden admonition of my sinking pegs made me conscious, for once, that danger sometimes lies concealed. And the by no means small deposits of that opaque substance, termed mud, on my inforior garments, showed that a more circuitous route, if safe, is preferable to a shorter one, exposed to danger.

The practical application of this lesson would be of great value to many who now suffer much for their rashness. To be sure, this is an age of speculation, and the great eagerness for the realization of high hopes cannot help trying the shortest moorland route. Occasionally we see ambitious schemes executed with success; but the reason may generally be discovered in the fact that they were well matured. We should not rashly attempt an imitation, but should first satisfy ourselves that there is sufficient encouragement in it.

But the moral danger frequently incurred, unnecessarily, is fearful. The indulgence of the animal passions and appetites, harmless in appearance, often induces a train of woes and misfortunes that outweigh a thousand fold all the pleasures springing therefrom. We are guilty, if we expose ourselves to the same peril that has ensnared others before our eyes; for we cannot plead the excuse that we have the capacity for self-control. We cannot justly estimate the power of temptation, till we have yielded ourselves to its grasp, when it is frequently too late for repentence.

Young men, the voice of one of your number is, Be abstemious, be honest. Let not intemperate indulgence in the fashionable follies of the times subdue your now free and active spirit. Spurn the tempter,—choose not the treacherous morass if there is a safer way. Let the principles which compose your theory of life stand in opposition to extravagant folly and craven dishonesty. Rely not too much on your present integrity, for the human will is not so strongly fortified against assault that it never deigns to yield or capitulate. Think not to inure an innocent mind to vice by slight contacts, but stand wholly alloof. Avoid every appearance of evil, and you will never regret that you have purchased purity and integrity of character, by ignorance of the many-visaged monster, vice. B. P.

DEATH FROM EXPOSURE. Mr. Seth Reed of Cummington was found by the wayside, between Cummington and Plainfield, in a dying condition, on the morning of the 18th inst. He went to Plainfield on the day previous for the purpose of buying cattle and sheep, and finding himself much fatigued on his way back, called at a house and asked permission to remain for the night. Being denied, he started on his weary way again, and was found the next morning within a few rods of the house whose doors were closed against him, in the condition above described.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, JAN. 7, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

R.—This communication came too late for our last week's paper. Our readers in Winchester, will, of course, place the remarks according to the date. We hope to have a weekly report of local items from Winchester, and we are also promised articles on agriculture.

B. P.—We have received your additional communications, which are very acceptable, and we shall give them early attention.

Hermit.—Our old friend is welcome; and we suppose by his letter that Sheriff Porter must have waked up the "wrong passenger." It does not read as coming from the "alms-house." A long life yet to the Hermit!

Jotham.—We have no room this week for your "jumping out of the frying-pan into the fire;" and if our fair readers don't roast you for that early visit to the sitting-room, it will be because they can't find you. Many will smile; and we hope none will be angry.

E. A. King.—Your beautiful lines on "Imagination" deserve much praise. We wish the Journal had more subscribers near "Melrose Cottage." No room this week.

EDITORIAL.

THE STORM.

It is not often that we are visited with such a disastrous storm as the one which raged with such dreadful results last week, and for many years we have not experienced one so heavy, especially so terrible at sea and on the coast; hundreds of vessels have been wrecked; passengers, with captains and crews have perished, and an immense amount of property has been lost. Our limits will not admit of the long list, and every mail brings additional particulars of distress.

The loss of the packet ship "Staffordshire," of 1850 tons, one of the finest ships that ever sailed on the ocean, with 180 passengers, captain and part of the crew, is a most melancholy disaster. She was from Liverpool bound to Boston; was cast away near Cape Sable, Nova Scotia, this side of Halifax. She was a new vessel, built by Mr. McKay, and we well remember when she was loading on her first voyage, at Commercial wharf, the crowds of people who were attracted by her beautiful appearance. She was a noble specimen of American ship-building, but she could not withstand the winds and waves of the boisterous ocean. She has been scattered in fragments, with her human freight, and like hundreds of others, will pass off in time as only an event in history.

It is a singular fact, that Mr. McKay should be the builder of the Great Republic and the Staffordshire, both the largest and finest clipper ships that ever floated, should both be destroyed within a few days. The Republic was burned on Tuesday and the Staffordshire wrecked on the Friday after.

We have selected a few of the long list of wrecks, showing some of the most melancholy. We might fill columns with the sad notices of wrecks and deaths.

The packet ship Staffordshire, Capt. Josiah Richardson, which sailed from Liverpool, December 9, for Boston, is reported by a telegraphic despatch from Halifax, N. S., to have struck the Blond Rock, south of Seal Island, on Friday morning, Dec. 30, at 10 o'clock. The first and second mates and seventeen seamen reached Cape Sable. The third mate, boatswain, and twelve others, were picked up and landed at Shelburne, N. S. The remainder, or about one hundred and eighty persons, including Capt. Richardson, went down with the wreck, immediately after striking. He was a native of Massachusetts, and was about 45 years of age. We fear that his wife was on board and must have shared his fate.

It is said that no less than twenty lives have been lost from two schooners wrecked in the vicinity of Cape Island, New Jersey, during the late disastrous gale. The body of a sailor boy was washed ashore on Thursday. The names of the vessels have not been ascertained.

A despatch dated Newport, 2d inst. states that the schooner Mozelle, of Wellfleet, Captain Dayton, from Boston, bound to Virginia, was wrecked last night on Brenton's Reef, off Newport. All hands lost. The crew of four persons were seen struggling in the sea, and one man was nearly ashore, so that a person reached a long pole, the only thing that could be found, towards him, and he tried to reach it himself, but all in vain, and his body has come ashore.

The bark Elizabeth, of Harrington, Captain Strout, from Matanzas via Holmes' Hole, for Boston, went ashore in the night. The captain succeeded with great difficulty in landing with his wife in the morning, but she perished in his arms on the beach, and their little child, which was lashed in the rigging, froze to death!

A slip from the Barnstable Patriot states, in addition to reports from other sources, that schooner Leo, of Rockland, from New York, reported for Quincy, ashore on Scraton neck, was boarded during the storm by Mr. Azariah Wing; that no person was found on board and that it is supposed all hands perished before she came ashore.

☞ Three hundred and seventy-five thousand hogs have been killed the present season near St. Louis up to 1st January. There must have been some squealing.

☞ The Woburn train of cars was the first train which arrived in Boston on Friday morning, after the great snow storm, ahead of all others, of course, in this as well as in all arrangements in railroad matters.

☞ The annual meeting of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association was held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 4th, at their office. The Annual Report of the Auditors was made, and a dividend of profits declared, satisfactory to the stockholders. The old Board of Directors were re-elected, viz: Abijah Thompson, Charles Choate, Bowen Buckman, J. B. Winn, M. F. Winn, Henry Cutter, and John Cummings, Jr.

After disposing of the business of the meeting, a beautifully chased Silver Pitcher was presented to John Edgell, Esq., by Bowen Buckman, at the request and in behalf of the stockholders of the Association, in the following terms:

Mr. Edgell, Sir,—With feelings embued by respect, and warranted by a long experience of your faithful services as Treasurer of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, we cannot allow a further time to elapse in our present relations without conveying to you the high appreciation entertained for you, not only in the position you have so honorably held with us for the last twenty years, but as a gentleman and an honest man. We therefore solicit your acceptance of this Silver Pitcher, as a slight token thereof, and to add our heartfelt wishes for your continued health, happiness and prosperity.

On the acceptance of this testimonial of respect, Mr. Edgell made a feeling and appropriate reply.

The following is the inscription upon the pitcher:

"Presented to John Edgell, Esq., by the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, as a token of respect for the faithful manner in which he has discharged the duties of Treasurer for twenty years—Jan. 1st, 1854."

☞ On the 30th day of December, 1844, nine years ago, at 8½ A. M., the first car started from Woburn on the branch railroad for Boston, running only one train down in the morning and one back at night. Now, we have six trains down and seven trains up, and all full at that; and we are officially informed that three more trains will be added early in the Spring, with such new arrangements as will fully accommodate the increasing population of our beautiful town. The present able and gentlemanly conductors started with the first train, and have filled their stations with much credit to themselves and satisfaction to the numerous passengers. During the nine years which this branch has run, no person, we believe, has been seriously injured, or any material accident occurred. The road is conducted in the most perfect order and regular in its time.

☞ We learn from Mr. John Hill, who is engaged with Messrs. Daniel Draper & Son, that they are building a block of ten large ice houses at Horn Pond, making thirteen ice houses for their increasing business. Altogether they will hold 25,000 tons of ice. A branch railroad is in contemplation, and surveyed, leveled, and contracts made, from the Pond to join the Woburn branch, below Richardson's depot, for transportation to Boston. We are told that the ice from Horn Pond is of superior quality, and commands a ready sale for shipment. The work for cutting will commence in a few weeks. The ice at present is about a foot in thickness. From the known energy and capital of the parties, we have no doubt of the enterprise resulting in complete success.

☞ Hon. A. H. Nelson lectured before the Working-men's Association on Monday evening, Jan. 2d, and met with great applause from his audience. He labored successfully in demonstrating that all who contribute to the advancement of science and knowledge, are laboring men. He expressed much joy in believing that such working-men's associations will soon be found as numerous in our country as they now are in England. This lecture was colloquial, familiar, entertaining, as well as instructive. The association is just gaining the ascendancy, containing already many of our most worthy citizens.

☞ Merchants who deal in glass ware will particularly notice the advertisement of the Bay State Glass Co. We have exported large quantities of their glass ware from Boston, and we have never heard a complaint.—Call and see them.

☞ We have not heard much about the Lyceum Hall the past few weeks. We hope it is not forgotten. This is a good time to begin with some arrangements for future measures to build it. When Spring opens we shall not have a good lot to build on,—they will be sold.

☞ Our Winchester friends will find some local items of interest in to-day's paper. It came too late for last week's paper. We hope to give them weekly.

☞ Gleason's Pictorial for this week commences a new volume. It is the best we have ever seen. It has portraits of all the principal rulers of the world, besides a large number of beautiful engravings, such as New Year festivals in foreign countries, with a group of New York Police in their new uniform. It can be found at Fowle's Depot.

☞ Rev. Gardner Dean, who so mysteriously disappeared from New Bedford, has returned, and tells a strange story of his being abducted and robbed, and made to swear not to preach Temperance. He has been chopping wood, near Albany. He had lost his hat and is very much emaciated. A mysterious affair, truly.

☞ Will some of our friends in Stoneham give us the local news—we will cheerfully publish them; also from Wilmington.

☞ The heavy storm last week extended over a large space of country. The snow drifts buried up the railroad tracks in all directions. The marine disasters are the most melancholy. Many vessels have been wrecked, and in some cases all on board have been lost. The accounts daily received are sad indeed. It is a dreadful page for the last one at the close of the year.

☞ In settling up accounts at this season of the year, don't forget the "Printer." He earns his pay by the sweat of his head and arms. Send him the small sum due for the "Journal," it will read better and look brighter, when paid for, and we shall think quicker.

☞ Our advertising columns offer inducements for those interested, to give them attention. Messrs. Henshaw & Prescott, wholesale dealers in all descriptions of drugs, glass ware, paints, and many other articles kept in country stores, offer every facility for customers, and we speak from experience when we confidently recommend them as honorable dealers; and merchants will find it for their interest to call on them. They fill large orders from the British Provinces.

☞ The General Court of Massachusetts assembled last Wednesday, and proceeded to business with a promptitude which betokens an earnest and active session.

The Senate was organized by the election of Charles E. Cook, of this city, Whig, as President. There were but 21 Senators present, 11 of whom are Whigs. Mr. Cook was chosen on the third balloting, having received 12 out of 21 votes.

The House was organized with more facility, Otis P. Lord of Salem, Whig, being chosen Speaker by a majority of 92 votes. The Democrats and Free Soilers voted separately, without Coalition—the candidate of the former receiving 61 and that of the latter 31 votes.

After the organization of the two Houses, the members, accompanied by the Governor and Council of last year, preceded by the Sheriff of Suffolk, and escorted by the Independent Cadets, with very full ranks, proceeded to the Old South Church, where the annual Election Sermon was delivered by Rev. Miner Raymond of Wilbraham.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[For the Journal.]

☞ The new Flag Staff, in Central Square, which has been for some time past in preparation, was raised on Monday, Dec. 26th, under the superintendence of Mr. H. C. Delano, of Boston, by whom it was constructed.

Its dimensions are as follows, viz: main mast, 26 inches in diameter at the ground, 11 inches at top, and 66 feet from the ground to the top. Topmast 62 feet long, 11 inches in diameter at large end, at 4½ inches at small end. At the top of the topmast is an iron rod 2 feet long, on which a gilt ball is placed, making the entire length from the ground to the ball 130 feet. The top is built in the most substantial manner, of white oak, and bears on the front in gilt zinc letters, "Central Square," and on the rear the figures, "1853." Said flag staff is located at the corner of Lowell and Main streets, and cost about $250, and was paid for by subscription in part as follows: U. S. Institute, $30; Washington Engine Co., No. 3, $10; several gentlemen, whose names we are not at liberty to mention, subscribed $10 each, and others small sums, and by contributions of work and materials by many others.

It is the intention of the subscribers to have manufactured for them during this winter, a flag, 33 feet long, and it is hinted that the ladies of that part of the town will have a hand in the manufacture of it.

Great credit is due to the constructer and raiser, Mr. H. C. Delano, for the very faithful and thorough manner in which he has performed his contract.

Reporter.

Woburn, Jan. 7th, 1854.

THE HERMIT.

I have been literally buried in the snow. My little cottage resembles a large mound, covered with the white sheet of winter, leaving but a small egress for the old hermit to feed his little feathered tribe, who seek an asylum from the winter storms in the sheltered spot near the sparkling rivulet, which pours its crystal stream over a pebbled bed, never obstructed by the cold blasts of winter or its drifted snows. This little household spot (I call it so, for it is ever bare in the coldest winter) seems to me to be reserved by nature as the feeding ground for my forest neighbors, when the earth is covered with her mantle of snow.

I have told you how I have fed these feathered songsters with the crumbs which fall from the hermit's table; how I have witnessed the cheerful hops and merry chirps of the chickadee and snow bird, as they come around my cottage for a morning meal, and then the robin red breast, as they come bounding across my clearing to this feeding spot, and fluttering around my door, in the familiar greetings of grateful beings, dumb as they are, yet speaking in language which none but the tenants of the forest can feel. God made the tiny sparrow as well as his noble image—man; and his unseen hand protects them both; and amidst the storms of winter, when the forest cracks from the pressure of the mighty wind, when the air is filled with the falling flakes, and the fields are covered with its white carpet, then the power which provides for the feathered songsters of our winter region, sends them by instinct to spots left open by some "heating of the earth," where hunger and thirst is replenished; and the sweet melody of their grateful notes, while feeding from my scattered crumbs, have often brought the big tears from the hermit's eye, as he thought of the dumb but beautiful gratitude exhibited here, in comparison with the selfish and ungrateful returns from beings who are endowed with reason and intelligence. But the storm and its scenery,—what a theme.

Have you ever been alone in the deep recesses of the dense forest, when the mighty storm is raging with all its fury; when the trees bend before it as the green spires of the meadow before the sweeping breeze; when the sturdy oak, which has battled the storms for a hundred years, falls before it like the stripling before the arm of the warrior. Have you ever seen, from your secluded window, the storm sweeping across a clearing, heaping the snow-drifts on its borders, and heard the sharp whistle of the wind, as it whirls around the corners of your cottage. Have you ever waked from your slumbers, in the stormy night, with the low moan of the tempest, when it seemed that all the furious elements of nature were loudly knocking at your cottage door, and seeking entrance by every crevice, while the snow crept in through the small opening around the window. Did you ever hear the storm king's screech, as he passed over your roof, when he comes with accelerated force across the opening. Have you ever heard the crash of falling timber in the forest and seen the crumbled mass. If you have experienced these, then the old hermit has no occasion to repeat them. If you have not, come to my forest home. I will show you that spot with my morning and evening gatherings; and you can see the snow scenes in the forest, and hear the music of the fearful wind, as it plays on nature's instruments, which surround my secluded home. There is a majesty and splendor in these forest charms which no mortal pen can faithfully describe.

I have told you of my early years; and now, seated in my old arm chair, beside my faggot fire, bright recollections of the past rise before me. The aged love to recline in silent musings on the past. There is a peculiar enjoyment in these pensive hours. We mingle again in the pleasures and gaities of the old Christmas and the happy New Year. We remember the morning greetings, the full stockings, and the sports of our schoolfellows. We walk over the old grounds and visit the scenes of our childhood, and we smile at some well remembered sport and merry schoolboy actions. We are on the verge of reality; but the reverse is suddenly ended, and our feeble limbs remind us, that although memory may be fresh and cheering, the lamp of life is dim and feeble. The stillness of my little parlor is broken by the shrill voices of the angry storm without, these visions of the past dissolve, and the old hermit is again alone.

I was not born a hermit. I am not a misanthrope. I admire this beautiful world, its spring tides and fresh verdure, its summer flowers and maturing crops, its autumn ripeness and forest beauty, its stern winter with its mighty storms. I love to wander over its fields, and range its hills and velleys; linger along its winding streams, and roam amidst its forests. I am an enthusiast in all that belongs to nature. I have long since left the artificial scenes of human life, disgusted with the selfish interests and overreaching desires of men; and in the solitude of the forest, with what little has been spared to me in worldly goods; with a feeble body and a sound and *thinking* mind. I shall pass onward with a cheerful heart to that "far and undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveler returns."

Hermit.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

Mr. Editor,—I have often wondered why you have not had an occasional communication from this town, upon some of the many topics of a local or general character which constantly occur, and in which citizens of Winchester, and the mother town of Woburn, have a sort of common interest.

During the present season we are (thanks to a generous public) privileged with a course of Free Lectures by some of the most talented lecturers in the State. The one last week was delivered by Wendall Phillips, Esq., subject—"Characteristics of American and European Society." The limits of this communication will not afford me room to follow the brilliant and eloquent "man of letters." The lecture was delivered in that free and conversational style which marks the man, unless it be when he takes hold of some of his particular themes, when he has the power of completely changing his style and manner, throwing off the mild and fascinating periods of pure English for the stormy spray of declamation, the force of eloquence and the power of logic. The lecture was happily illustrated by his own observations at home and extensive travel aboard, abounding in anectode, wit and reflection, giving entire satisfaction to the audience and causing all to regret its brevity. The lecture for the present week is by Rev. Mr. Whiting of Reading.

This town is growing quite fast, many elegant dwellings have been built the present year, and real estate is advancing full fast enough for a healthy and substantial growth. Many men of enterprise and means have moved into town recently, which will have an influence in making Winchester one of the first towns in the county,—always excepting Woburn. Several of our shrewd citizens have lately taken out life insurance policies, thereby showing a laudable intention of leaving friends and relatives some support if they should be cut off in the midst of their days. Mr. J. F. Stone of this place is agent for the "Berkshire County Company," of which ex-governor Briggs is President. Mr. Stone is every way competent and is doing a brisk business. This Company has capital and reputation to warrant its success, and no better investment can be made than the *small* sum required to secure a *large* policy.

The new Orthodox Church progresses very slow, and according to all appearances three months will elapse before it will be completed. It is quite fortunate that the enterprise of a few men, and the generosity of the Baptist society, affords a convenient and comfortable place for worship while the new church is going up. Mr. Bridgeman, the successor of Col. White as station agent upon the Lowell Railroad in this place, gives entire satisfaction, and brings to the place that fidelity and industry which his predecessor so long exercised.

Mr. E. B. Brackett of this town had the misfortune, last Saturday, to loose his extensive green-house and grapery by fire, originating in some imperfection in the construction of the heating department. The loss is a serious one, including the destruction of a great many choice and rare grape vines which were just setting their fruit. This is Mr. B.'s first attempt, upon so extensive a scale, and adds disappointment to loss; but his natural perseverance will soon overcome this disaster.

More anon, R.

Winchester, Dec. 31, 1853.

☞ For the best and largest assortment of confectionary of every description, we ask attention to Mr. Castell's assortment.

Life Insurance. We learn that the Hartford Life Insurance Co. will establish an agency in Woburn. It is one of the best companies in existence.

☞ The virtues of Rosemary and Castor Oil are too well known in Europe and America to require enconium—as combined in a beautiful liquid state by J. Russell Spalding, 23 Tremont Row, they have no superior or equal for improving the hair.—*Boston Post.*

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Woburn Post Office, December 31, 1853.

Andrews, John	Herriman, Darius G.
Blake, Charles	Jones, Miss Sarah S.
Brooks, Miss C. R.	Jones, Miss Louisa
Bowin, John	Jackson, N. N.
Blood, Rufus	Kendall, B.
Bark, Nelly	Lillie, Miss Mary
Black, Sarah E.	Lewis, Mrs. Harriet
Brooks, Geo. W.	Langley, S. J.
Christy, J. B.	Locke, Asa
Clark, Jonathan	McGonigle, Wm.
Cridge, Alfred, 3	Moreland, Mrs. Lydia
Clark, Dr. Albert	Munn, Charles
Cutting, Miss Ann	Martin, Phillip
Collins, Mr.	McCabe, Wm.
Dearborn, Mrs. Harriet	Noon, James
Durant, Geo.	Putnam, Wm. R.
Durivage, John E.	Poland, Mrs. Hannah
Donnell, Miss T. O.	Parker, Edmund
Dever, Catherine	Page, Alvin
Dalton, T.	Parker, Thaddeus, 2
Doherty, John, 2	Richardson, Preston,
Flagg, John G.	Reordan, Wm.
Frasier, Mrs. Dorinda	Richardson, Wm. H.
Farrington, Charles L	Richardson, O.
Farrington, Charles	Russell, Daniel M.
Green, J. W.	Richardson, Samuel
Gaffney, Miss Cath.	Symmes, Luther R.
Grant, Daniel	Spur, Wm. H.
Gray, Mrs. Charles	Smith, R.
Harner, Michael	Spicer, Wm. H.
Hitchings, Joshua	Stratton, Miss C. E. K., 2
Hackins, John	Sayes, Squire,
Hayward, Arza	Sergeant, Ensign
Hart, D. D.	Twiny, C. H.
Hill, Miss Martha M	Wright, David
Hanley, Daniel	Wilson, James
Huestis, Wm. G.	Weeks, Miss Eliza H
Hardy, Reuben	Whittier, Marquis
Henderson, Archibald	Wright, Edward S.
	Willson, Horace

☞ Persons calling for Letters on this list, will please say they are Advertised.

A. E. THOMPSON, Postmaster.

Boot and Shoe Market.

Buyers from the principal cities South and West are in the market. Prices are very firm, with a prospect of a further advance. Large quantities of new goods are expected in the market every week. 220,434 cases have been cleared at the Custom House the past year—a large increase over 1852. The coming season will be a prosperous one for boots and shoes.

Grain Market.

Flour is firm—demand moderate—fancy brands $7,50 to $8,00; corn 75 to 80 cents; oats 55 cents per bushel, and in demand. Provisions of all kinds are high. Hay is selling at $21,00 per ton.

Money Market.

Money is a trifle easier, but commands 12 per cent with Brokers. The stock market is up and down, as the wants of speculators dictate. Copper stocks cheap—large amounts of dividends have been paid from banks, manufacturing companies and railroads. The deposits of gold in the mint at Philadelphia for the past year has been $53,500,000. In the face of this, money is stringent. The new year bids fair to be a busy one, and if speculation does not run mad, the year will be a prosperous one.

Dry Goods Market.

Market quiet. The season has been a fair one. Stocks and styles in market are moderate. 52,000 packages of cotton goods exported the past year—a falling off of 10,000 in 1852.

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, by Hon. A. H. Nelson.

MARRIAGES.

"There are moments in this fleeting life
When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

In Lexington, Dec. 29th, by Hon. Wm. Chandler, Mr. Robert W. Laird, of Charlestown, to Miss Harriet M., youngest daughter of Mr. Daniel Angier, of L.

DEATHS.

"And what's a life? the flourishing array
Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

In this town, Jan. 4th, of congestion of the brain, William B., youngest son of Robert W. and Huldah T. Parker, aged two years and ten months.

DR. SCALES,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Stoves for Sale.

FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, Chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.
Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.
N. S. CATE, Agent.
East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

EDWARD CASTELL,
Wholesale and retail
CONFECTIONER,
264 HANOVER STREET,
(Two doors above Richmond street,)
BOSTON.

☞ Constantly on hand a large assortment of English, French and American Confectionery, at wholesale and retail, at the lowest cash prices.
⁂ Particular attention given to orders for exportation to the British Provinces.

HENSHAW & PRESCOTT,
Importers and dealers in
DRUGS, PAINTS and DYES,
Manufacturers of
COPAL VARNISH,
NO. 41 INDIA STREET, BOSTON.
☞ Orders for exportation to the British Provinces will receive prompt attention. jan7—1854—tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons having demands against the Town of Woburn, are requested to bring them in to the Selectmen before the 1st day of February, 1854.
HORACE CONN,
HORACE COLLAMORE, } Selectmen of Woburn.
ALFRED G. CARTER,
dec31 tf

NOTICE.

THE firm of Otis & Bailey is this day dissolved. All affairs of the firm will be settled by
G. H. OTIS.
Woburn, Jan. 1, 1854. 1t

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings.
J. A. BOUTELLE.
Woburn, Dec 28, 1853.

CLOTHING.

THE subscriber will keep constantly on hand and for sale a general assortment of Ready-made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, cheap for Cash.
Please call at WM. A. MILES'.
dec31 4w.

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.
dec31 3w

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
dec31. 2w

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A small house, situated on Court street, containing six rooms, wood-shed, and shoe maker's shop; in every way convenient for a small family. Will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms, if applied for soon. Enquire of N BODWEL, on the premises.
dec24tf

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.
N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.
☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.
A. F. UNION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.—Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by
L. THOMPSON, Jr

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Book store. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.
CHANDLER & CO.
Have received a handsome assortment of
SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.
Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at
Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

Now is the Time

TO subscribe for the Phrenological and Water Cure Journals, for 1854. The *cheapest* and *best* papers in the United States. 62½ cents per year, each. R. H. HOWARD, *Agent*, Woburn, Mass.
dec24 4w

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,
SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,
CAPITAL
$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.
E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by
JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
42 & 44 Federal street
9 istf

Assignees Notice.

The undersigned has been duly appointed Assignee of the estate of William Maxwell, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Yeoman, an insolvent debtor.

The second Meeting of the Creditors of said Maxwell is appointed to be held, before Asa F. Lawrence, Esq., Commissioner of Insolvence of said County, at the office of Messrs. Dana and Cobb, in Charlestown, in said County, on the thirty-first d y of December next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which meeting creditors may prove their claims. JONATHAN TIDD.

North Woburn, Nov. 28th, 1853. 2w.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator to the last will and testament of Mary Clinton, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, single woman, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to JAMES TWEED, Ad'r.

Woburn, Dec. 24th, 1853. 3t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Retire P. Kimball, late of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, housewright, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to SAMUEL S. RICHARDSON, Adm.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Warner C. Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, trader, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.—All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to BOWEN BUCKMAN, Adm.

Woburn, November 8th, 1853.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor to the last will and testament of Barth'w Richardson, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to

BARTHOLOMEW RICHARDSON, Ex'r.

Woburn, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

BY license of the Court of Probate, for the county of Middlesex, will be sold at Auction, on Monday, the 16th day of January next, at 3½ o'clock P. M., about 33,000 feet of land, situated on Academy Hill, on the corner of Warren and Summer streets. Also, one other lot of land, situated in Fulton Village, in the easterly part of Woburn, being lot numbered 17, on the plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing companies. The above land will be sold on the premises of the lot on the Academy Hill.

CHARLES CHOATE, Ex'r.

Woburn, Dec. 22, 1853. tf

Collector's Sale for Taxes.

WILL be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on MONDAY, the 9th day of January next, at two o'clock P. M., at the Selectmen's Room in Wade's Block, in Woburn, so much of the Real Estate, (situated in said Woburn,) belonging to the following residents of said town, as shall be sufficient to pay the Taxes assessed thereon for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said residents, real estate, and taxes, are as follows, viz:

Daniel Wright, 2d—About one-fourth of an acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Washington street, in the easterly part of said Woburn, and bounded south-westerly by said Washington street, north-westerly by a private way leading out of said street, and easterly by another private way leading out of said street. State, County and Town Taxes, $5.50.

Peter Bigney—About one-fourth of an acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Church street, near the centre village in said Woburn, and bounded westerly by said Church street, northerly by land of James A. Mann, and easterly and southerly by land of George Flagg. State, County and Town Taxes, $3.75.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold at Public Auction, so much of the Real Estate, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, belonging to the following non-resident, as shall be sufficient to pay the taxes assessed thereon, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty three, and all legal costs and charges. Said non-resident, real estate and taxes, are as follows, viz:

Charles Eddy—About one-fourth of an acre of land, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, on Canal street, and bounded southerly by said street, westerly by land of John R. Vining, and northerly and easterly by land of Thomas Richardson. State, County and Town Tax, $1.50. School Dictrict Tax, in District No. 6, 16 cents.

If said Taxes, and all legal costs and charges, shall not be paid on or before said time of sale, so much of said Real Estate will then and there be sold as shall be sufficient to pay the same.

EDWARD SIMONDS,
Collector of Taxes for Woburn.

Dec. 8th, 1853.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by

A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

A. L. SHATTUCK,
(Successor to T. J. Porter.)

Woburn & Boston Express,

Offices in Boston, No. 128 Washington St., and 46 North Market street. Office in Woburn, at Woodberry's Store, and at Elbridge Trull's Store.

Orders for freight, packages, &c., promptly attended to February 26th, 1853. tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat
sept. 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E. E. Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

Christmas and New Year PRESENTS.

GREAT VARIETY of Christmas and New Year presents, for sale cheap at E. E. Cooper's Drug Store.

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order. ☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853. tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.
oct. 29 13w

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of

L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.

Woburn. Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.

Have now opened their entire importation of

6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.

Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.

We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that

A More Full and Desirable Assortment
IS NOT TO BE FOUND.

Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.

We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.

Chandler & Co.

Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.
nov5 tf

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

The Subscriber has just received a large assortment of Goods for the coming holydays.

Annuals, Bibles, Histories, Juvenile Books of all kinds suitable for Presents.

Also, a great variety of

Toys, Games, Fancy Articles, &c.

All of which will be sold at lowest prices.

G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Dec. 17, 1853.

New Stock of Ladies' Cloths.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received their entire importation of Cloths for

LADIES' CLOAKS AND DRESSES.

Comprising various grades, from medium to the finest qualities manufactured, and in shades of color unsurpassed in beauty.

The assortment of the above goods now being complete, purchasers are reminded that the present is the most favorable time to make satisfactory selections.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail,

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

nov5 tf

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 26 tf JOHN ASH.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Farm for Sale in Winchester,

ABOUT one mile from the Depot, consisting of 15 acres of choice land, with a good 2 story house, barn and shed, an aqueduct of spring water that never fails. There is on this land an orchard of about two acres, containing apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, of about 15 years growth, all in bearing. This land is of the border of Winter Pond, and pleasantly situated for building purposes.

For further particulars inquire of GEORGE WYMAN, on the premises, or of GARDNER SYMMES, Main street, Winchester.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853. tf

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 8.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

* On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P. M.

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.
apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(*Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts*)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, No. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*
E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES—LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by

MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

OATS AND POTATOES.

3000 Bushels Potatoes; 2590 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by

THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct. 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Simonds' Quadrille Band.

MR. A. SIMONDS respectfully announces to his friends and the public, that he is prepared to furnish music for Balls, Assemblies and Private Parties, &c., on the most reasonable terms. Orders left at A. Simonds residence, near the Watering Station, Woburn, or to E., A. H., or B. Simonds, of Wilmington, near the depot, will receive prompt attention.

Woburn, Oct. 22d, 1853. 4w

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn, Winchester and vicinity, that he has enlarged and refitted his Store, and is now ready to supply them with Boots and Shoes, in all their varieties, at low prices.

Grateful for the very liberal patronage bestowed, he would solicit a continuance of their favors.

AUGUSTUS ROUNDY,
Sept. 24, 1853. cor. of Main and R. R. Sts.

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by

THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Rockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W. WOODBURY'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

FALL AND WINTER STOCK
—OF—
Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS!

RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,

Rich Piece Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW

One Price Cash System,

—AT—

OAK HALL CLOTHING HOUSE,

NORTH STREET,
oct29 BOSTON. 6t

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS,

SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.

FOWLE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK
—OF—
FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " " "
BROCADE SILKS.
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at whole sale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov4 tf CHANDLER & Co.

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spalding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.

J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23isly

W. M. WESTON,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN,

DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.

Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.

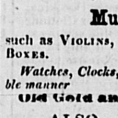
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.

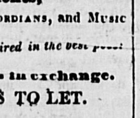
ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.

april 3 tf

CONVERSE & Co.,



WOBURN AND BOSTON R.R. EXPRESS. 5 TRIPS DAILY.



OFFICES. { 10 Court Sqare, Boston, R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,

Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed. Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. F. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to meet their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

AMOS LOCKE.

☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged herstore, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.

oct 18 tf

BY J. PHILBRICK.

BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 62 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical, Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books, for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a spendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c, jy30is6m.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.
may 14 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies.

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist. apr2

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my 26 tf JOHN ASH

BUSINESS CARDS.

MARK ALLEN,
Manufacturer of
Penholders.
Rooms at Woburn Machine Shop,
Woburn, Mass.

☞ Orders for various styles of Penholders, respectfully solicited. July 30 tf

LIBBY & BROTHERS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FOREIGN...AND...DOMESTIC
Dry Goods,
Nos. 206 & 208 Hanover Street,
(Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church.)
F F Libby. } BOSTON. { S. R. Libby

Philip Teare,
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POETRY.

A BEAUTIFUL POEM.

The following sweet and touching lines on the "Death of the Robin," are from the pen of Emeline S. Smith :—

From his sweet banquet, 'mid the perfumed clover,
A robin soared and sung;
Never the voice of happy bard or lover
Such peals of gladness rung.
Lone Echo, loitering by the distant hill side,
Or hiding in the glen,
Caught up, with thirsting lip, the tide of sweetness,
Then bade it flow again.

The summer air was flooded with the music;
Winds held their breath to hear;
And blushing wild-flowers hung their heads, enamoured,
To list that "joyance clear."
Just then from neighboring covert rudely ringing,
Broke forth discordant sound;
And wily fowler, from his ambush springing,
Gazed eagerly around.

Still upward, through the air that yet was thrilling
To his melodious lay,
One instant longer, on a trembling pinion,
The robin cleared his way.
But, ah, the death-shot rankled in his bosom—
His life of song was o'er!
Back, back to earth, from out his heavenward pathway,
He fell, to rise no more.

A sudden silence chilled the heart of Nature—
Leaf, blossom, bird and bee,
Seemed each, in startled hush, to mourn the pausing
Of that sweet minstrelsy.
And Echo, breathless, in her secret dwelling,
Like love-lorn maid, in vain
Waited and listened long, to catch the accents
She ne'er would hear again.

Oh, bird! sweet poet of the summer woodlands!
How like thy lay to those
Of tuneful bards, whose songs, begun in gladness,
Have oft the saddest close.
Thus, many a swain of human love and rapture,
Poured from a fond, full heart,
Hath been, in one wild moment, hushed forever
By sorrow's fatal dart.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

☞ We resume our agricultural page. It is a department in which we take much interest. We are not a practical farmer; we wish we were, for it is the healthiest and most independent avocation on the earth. We extract from that sterling farming paper, the New England Farmer, the following on stock:

"There are numerous disadvantages necessarily attending the feeding of neat stock exclusively on dry food. Horses, oxen—and in short, all domestic animals—fed on cut hay in a dry state, obstinately refuse, after a time, to consume all that is given them. They become fastidious, and consequently less healthy and thrifty in condition than when fed partly on moist and succulent food.

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A trough, or other suitable vessel of sufficient capacity, is to be provided, and into which a sufficiency of cut oat, rye, or wheat straw, stalks or hay, is to be put, to furnish all the animals with a single meal. For every three animals to be fed, add four quarts of meal with just enough water to moisten it and let it stand for several hours, or if practicable, till incipient fermentation has commenced, and a slight acidity is perceptible. In this state feed it to your animals, and you will find that not a particle will be refused by them, and that they will continue in better condition than when fed exclusively on any other feed. If desirable, the process of preparing the food may be further systematized by having several troughs for mixing the ingredients. This will enable the feeder to prepare food in advance of his wants, and consequently to have a feed always ready at the hour it is wanted. A straw-cutter of the latest and most improved pattern, should be found on every farm. It will enable the husbandman to work up, to good advantage, a large amount of material that would otherwise possess no actual value except for manure. By cutting corn stalks, tops and butts, fine, mixing with them a quantity of roots or apples chopt into small pieces, or raspt with a rasping machine, and scattering over them a very small quantity of meal of any kind, together with a little salt, a very palatable and nutritious food will be secured, and one on which most animals will winter as well as upon the best English hay.

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THE POTATO ROT. Eli Demeritt of Strafford, and Aaron Bridge of Nottingham, write us that they have discovered the rot in potatoes to be caused by an insect or maggot which eats into the potato, near the root or stem, and poisons it. They made this discovery last fall, while digging their potatoes, and have since frequently found the maggot in those which were deceased. They recommend as an effectual remedy the application of a spoonful of sulphur to the vines of each hill when the potatoes are hoed. Our correspondents are good practical farmers and may be right, but the experience of more than one season will be necessary to establish the fact. [Dover (N. H.) Inquirer.

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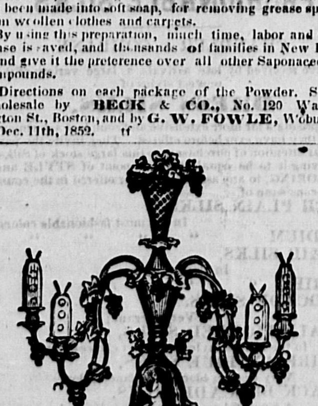

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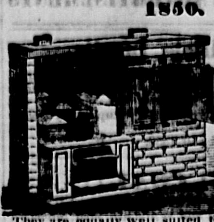

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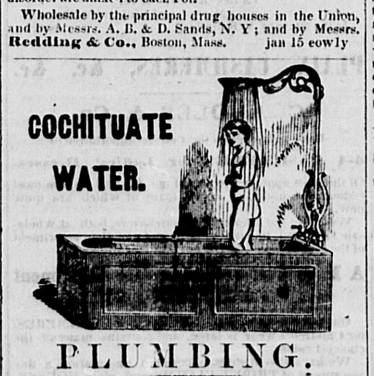

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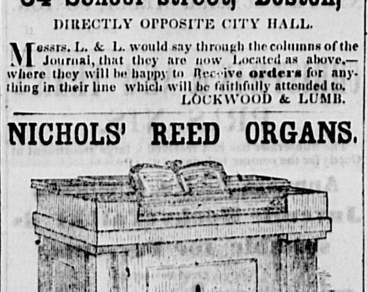

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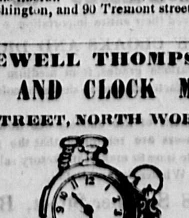

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For many an hour, and thought upon the past,
And busy memory calleth up the tone
Of voices dear, too dear to last.

I hear the accents, soft and low,
In music tones they 're wafting slowly by;
And shadowy forms all dimly from me go,
E'er I can catch the love-light of each eye.

And memory's gaze into the past, far-sighted,
Bears me within the circle of childhood's friends;
Seats me around the hearth, so dimly lighted,
Where each sweet voice into one love tone blends.

The good old mother, with her kerchief neat
About her bosom, laid in many a fold;
The father with his smile, benign and sweet,
All, all are there, nor can the half be told.

Ah, yes, I feel the hand so lightly laid,
In anxious love upon my upturned brow;
I hear again the blessing softly said,
O, mother, darling, would I could hear it now.

But, no! I'm now alone, alone,
E'en shadows of the past, how quickly fled;
And never tiring thought, though busy still,
Is lingering with the loved, the silent dead.

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SELECTED.

HASTY MATCHES.

A young Norfolk farmer, on beginning life with a limited capital, found that two things were wanted to do justice to the large farm which he rented on a long lease—namely, a wife to rule the house at home and an additional thousand pounds to invest upon the land Like a sagacious man, he conceived that the two might be found combined, and he began to look about him for a cheerful lass with a dowry to the desiderated amount. Accident threw him one day into company with the parson of a neighboring parish, with whom, as he rode home while returning from market, he fell into conversation. Encouraged by the divine, the youth unburdened himself of his cares and his pains, and mentioned the design he had formed of marrying as soon as he could find an agreeable lass with a moderate dowry.

'I'll tell you what,' said the parson, 'I've got three daughters, and very nice girls they are, I assure you. Suppose you come and dine with me next market-day; you will meet them at the table; and if any one of them should prove the "inevitable she" you are in search of, I shall not be backward to do as far as I can.'

'Agreed,' cried the youth, 'I'll come, as sure as you're alive, if you'll not tell the young ladies.'

'That shall be a bargain. On Saturday next then, we shall see you at dinner, at five.' And here, their roads diverging, the gentlemen separated.

At the appointed hour on the following Saturday, the young farmer, in handsome trim, descended from his galloway at the parson's door. Dinner was served a few minutes after, and the young ladies, with their mother, graced the table with their presence. All three fully justified the encomiums of the father; but the youngest, a rosy-faced, roguish, cheerful lass, just escaped from her teens, alone made a vivid impression upon the young farmer. The repast progressed agreeably enough; and when it was ended, the ladies withdrew, leaving the gentlemen to chat over their wine.

'Well,' said the host, 'what do you think of my girls?'

'I think them all charming,' said the youth; 'but the youngest—you call her Nelly—is really most bewitching and clever too; and if I am to have the honor of being allied to you, I must have her.'

'That is against all rule,' returned the host 'to take the youngest first; but of course I cannot control your choice. What dowry do you expect?'

'My capital,' said the wooer, 'is three thousand pounds, and I wan't a thousand more—and I MUST have it.'

'I will give you a thousand with the eldest girl'

'No; the charming Nelly and the thousand or I'm off.'

'That cannot be; five hundred with Nelly, if you like. The others are not half so handsome, and must have a fortune, or I can never get them off.'

'No, my resolution is fixed,' said the youth, 'and I shall not alter it.'

'Nor I mine,' said the parson, 'and the affair is at an end; but we will be good friends, notwithstanding.'

The conversation, which each speaker supposed to be strictly private, now fell into another channel. The ladies returned with the tea-urn, and chatted unreservedly with the farmer. Evening came on, and towards sunset, the girls having strolled into the garden, the youth rose to take his leave. He found his nag in the stable, and having bade farewell to his host, took his way through the shrubbery that led into the road. He was about alighting to open the gate, when the rosy-faced Nelly darted forward to save him the trouble. As she lifted the latch, she looked archly up into his face and said; "Can't you take my father's money?'

'Yes, by Jove, I will, if you wish it!'

"Then come over to church to-morrow morning, and tell him so after service;' and the speaker vanished like an elfin sprite in the greenery.

Musing on the proverb which says, 'walls have ears,' the young farmer rode slowly home. He did not fail—how could he!—of attending at the church next morning, and after sermon declared to the parson his altered resolution. He married the fair Nelly three months afterwards; and she brought him in due course of years a row of goodly sons, than whom there are few at the present hour wiser in their generation, or more worthy, in the whole of broad England.

Love Story of the Australian Diggings.

Mike and Robert were two as good mates as any at the Mount Alexander diggins They had had a good spell at hard work, and, as is usually the way, returned to Melbourne for a holiday at Christmas time; and then it was that the bright eyes of Susan Hinton first sowed discord between them. Mike was the successful wooer, and the old man gave his consent; for Mike, with one exception, had contrived to make himself a favorite with both father and daughter. The exception was this: old Hinton was a strict disciplinarian—one of what is called the "good old school;" he hated radicals, revolutionists, and reformers, or any opposition to church or State. Mike, on the contrary, loved nothing better than to hold forth against the powers that be; and it was his greatest boast that government had never pocketed a farthing from him in the way of a license. This, in the old man's eyes, was his solitary fault, and when Mike declared his intention of taking another trip to the "lottery fields" before taking a ticket in the still greater lottery of marriage, he solemnly declared that no daughter of his should ever marry a man who had been openly convicted of in any way avoiding the license fee.

This declaration, from any other man who had already promised his daughter in marriage, would not have had much weight; but Mike knew the stern, strict character of Hinton, and respected this determination accordingly. The day of their departure arrived, and, with a tearful injunction to bear in mind her father's wishes, Susan bade her lover farewell, and Robert and he proceeded on their journey. Full of his own happiness, Mike had never suspected his comrade's love for Susan, and little dreamt he of the hatred against himself to which it had given birth—hatred the more to be dreaded since it was concealed under a friendly exterior.

For the first month Mike behaved to the very letter of the law, and having, for the sum of £1 10s., purchased his legal right to dig for gold, felt himself a most exemplary character. Success again crowned their efforts, and a speedy return to Melbourne was contemplated. In the ardor of this exciting work another month commenced, and Mike at first forgot and then neglected to renew his license. "The inspector rarely came his rounds before the 14th; the neighborhood was considered deserted—fairly worked out—he'd never come round there." Thus argued Mike, and his friend cordially agreed with him. "Lose a day's work standing outside the commissioner's tent, broiling in a crowd, when two days would finish the job! Not he, indeed! Mike might please himself, but he shouldn't get a license;" and this determination on the part of his "mate" settled the matter.

In one respect Mike's self-security was not unfounded; the gully in which their tent was pitched was nearly deserted. Some while previous there had been a great rush to the place, so great that it was almost excavated; then the rush took a different direction, and few now cared to work on the two or three spots that had been left untouched. Like many other localities considered worked out, as much remained in the ground as had been taken from it, and as each day added to their store, Mike's hilarity increased.

It was now the 10th of the month; their hole had been fairly "bottomed," a nice little nest of nuggets discovered, their gains divided, and the gold sent down to the escort office for transit to Melbourne A few bucketsfull of good washing stuff was all that was left undone. "To-day will finish that," thought Mike, and to it he set with hearty good will, to the intense satisfaction of his comrade, who sat watching him at a little distance. Suddenly Mike felt a heavy hand upon his shoulder; he looked up, and saw before him—the inspector. He had already with him a large body of defaulters, and Mike little doubted that he must be added to their number. Old Hinton's determined speech, Susan's parting words and tears, now flashed across his mind.

"You've lost your bonnie bride," muttered Robert, loud enough to reach his rival's ears.

Mike glanced at him, and the look of triumph he saw there roused every spark of energy within him, and it was in a tone of well assumed composure that he replied to the inspector—"My license is in my pocket, and my coat below there;" and without a moment's hesitancy sprang into his hole to fetch it. Some minutes elapsed. The inspector waxed impatient. A suspicion of the truth flashed across Robert's mind, and he too descended the hole. There was the coat, and the license of the past month in the pocket; but the owner had gone, vanished, and an excavation on one side which led into the next hole, and thence into a complete labyrinth underground, plainly pointed out the method of his escape. Seeing no prospect of ferreting the delinquent out of so dangerous a place, the inspector sulkily withdrew, though not without venting some of his ill humor upon Robert, at whose representations he had come so far out of his road.

But let us return to Mike. By a happy thought he had suddenly remembered that while working some days before in the hole, his pick had let in daylight on one side, and the desperate hope had presented itself to his mind that he might make a passage into the next pit, which he knew led into others, and thus escape. His success was beyond his expectation; and he regained the open air at a sufficient distance to escape observation. Once able to reflect upon the event of the morning, it required little discrimination to fix upon Robert his real share in it. And now there was no time to lose in returning to Melbourne and prevent, by a speedy marriage, any further attempt to set his intended father against him. In two days he was beside his lady-love.

No time was to be lost—they were married; and when, three days after Mike's return, Robert (with his head full of plots and machinations) presented himself at old Hinton's door, he found them all at a well spread wedding breakfast, round which were gathered a merry party, listening to the way in which the happy bridegroom had evaded the inspector. Mike had wisely kept the story till Susan was his wife.

Some time since (so runs the current narrative) the owner of a thriving mutton-pie concern, which after much difficulty he had succeeded in establishing with borrowed capital, died before he had well extricated himself from the responsibilities of debt. The widow carried on the business after his decease, and throve so well that a speculating baker, on the opposite side of the way, made her the offer of his hand. The lady refused, and the enraged suitor, determined on revenge, immediately converted his baking into an opposition pie-shop; and, acting upon the principle, universal among London bakers, of doing business for the first month or two at a loss, made his pies twice as big as he could honestly afford to make them. The consequence was that the widow lost her custom, and was hastening fast to ruin, when a friend of her late husband, who was also a small creditor paid her a visit. She detailed her grievance to him, and lamented her lost trade and fearful prospects. "Oh, oh!" said her friend, "that ere's the move, is it? Never you mind, my dear. If I don't get your trade agin, there ain't no snakes, mark me—that's all!" So saying, he took his leave. About eight o'clock the same evening, when the baker's new pie-shop was crammed to overflowing, in walks the widow's friend in the costume of a kennel raker, and elbowing his way to the counter, dabs down upon it a brace of dead cats, vociferating at the same time to the damsel in attendance: "Tell your master, my dear. as how them two makês six-and-thirty this week, and say I'll bring t'other four to-morrer arternoon!" With that he swaggered out and went his way. So powerful was the prejudice against cat-mutton among the population of that neighborhood, that the shop was cleared in an instant, and the floor was covered with hastily abandoned specimens of every variety of segments of a circle. The spirit-shop, at the corner of the street, experienced an unusually large demand for "goes" of brandy, and interjectional ejaculations not purely grammatical, were not merely audible but visible in the district. It is averred that the ingenious expedient of the widow's friend, founded as it was upon a profound knowledge of human prejudices, had the desired effect of restoring the "balance of trade." The widow recovered her commerce; the resentful baker was done brown and he who had brought about this measure of justice received the hand of the lady as a reward for his interference. [Curiosities of London Life.

☞ The cattle trade of Texas is growing into considerable importance. During the season $40,000 head of beeves crossed the Neuces at Beaumont, on their way to New Orleans.

Capt. Bangs Nickerson of Harwich, drank, through mistake, from a bottle a quantity of bed bug poison. In consequence of its being immediately ejected from his stomach it did not cause immediate death. He lingered a number of days and died on the 30th inst. [Cape Cod Advocate.

A correspondent informs us that Walter Manning, of Wilmington, Mass, recently cut nine cords of wood, from the stump, into four feet lengths, between sunrise and sunset of a short winter's day. Beat it if you can.—Journal.

Two hundred and eighty-three thousand three hundred and thirty-two emigrants have arrived at New York during the last twelve months; and $570,332 have been received, and $570,775 disbursed for their benefit.

The Fitchburg railroad company are building a new and commodious station house at Porter's, in Cambridge.

A man was tarred and feathered at Clyde, Wayne county, N. Y., on Saturday, for whipping his wife.

Wonderful Works of the Creator.

The mariner who first crossed the Central Atlantic, in search of a new world was astonished when, on the 19th September, 1492, he found himself in that great bank of sea-weed—the sea-weed meadow of Oviedo—the Saragossa sea, which, with a varying breadth of 100 to 300 miles, stretching over 25 degrees of latitude, covering 260,000 square miles in surface, like a huge floating garden, in which countless myriads of minute animals find food and shelter. It is the eddy of numerous sea rivers which collect in one spot, and the cold waters of the Northern Atlantic, mixing with the warm streams of the southern and western currents, which produce the temperature most fitted to produce this amazing development of vegetable and animal life. What becomes of the dead remains of this vast marine growth? Do they decompose as fast as they are produced? Or do they accumulate into deposits of peculiar coal, destined to reward the researches of future geologists and engineers when the Atlantic of our day has become the habitable land of an after time? In the chart of the Pacific Ocean we are presented with another remarkable influence of sea rivers on vegetation.

From the shores of South Victoria, on the Antartic continent, a stream of cold water, 60 degrees in width, (the reader will recollect that in high latitudes the degrees of longitude are very narrow,) drifts slowly along in a north-east and easterly direction across the Southern Pacific until it impinges upon the South American coast to the south of Valparaiso. There it divides into two arms, one of which stretches south and east, doubles Cape Horn, and penetrates into the South-western Atlantic; the other flows north-east and then north-west along the coast of Chili and Peru, carrying colder waters into the warm sea, and producing a colder air along the low plains which stretch from the shores of the Pacific to the base of the Andes. This current, discovered by Humboldt and called after his name, lowers the temperature of the air about twelve degress, while that of the water is sometimes as much as twenty-four degress colder than that of the still waters of the ocean through which it runs. The cold air seriously affects vegetation along the whole of the coast; at the same time that the cold stream raises fogs and mists, which not only conceal the shores and perplex the navigator, but extend inland also, and materially modify the climate.

The beautiful and beneficent character of modifying influence becomes not only apparent, but most impressive, when we consider, as the rain map of the world shows us, that on the coast of Peru no rain ever falls; and that, like the desert of Sahara, it ought therefore to be condemned to perpetual barrenness. But in consequence of the cold stream running thus along the borders "the atmosphere loses its transparency and the sun is obscured for months together. The vapors at Lima are often so thick that the sun seen through them with the naked eye assumes the appearance of the moon's disc. They commence in the morning and extend over the plains in the shape of refreshing fogs, which disappear soon after mid-day, and are followed by heavy dews, which are precipitated during the night." The morning mists and evening dews thus supply the place of the absent rains, and the verdure which covers the plains is the offspring of a sea-river. What a charming myth would the ancient poets have made out of this striking condensation! [Edinburgh Review.

A sea captain "down East," a regular old salt, relates the subjoined as one of his fishing experiences:

Once with a friend he went out to catch halibut. His comrade prided himself on his skill in the business, and a rivalry arose between the two friends as to which should capture the first fish. Having dropped anchor and lines, they waited with fisherman's patience for a bite; but for a long time none came. At length the countenance of the captain's companion began to lighten up; and presently he called out—

"I've got one!" He commenced hauling in with great vigor. "It must be a large one,' said he, "a hundred pound fellow, at least. He pulls stoutly, I tell you!"

It was indeed evident that a big fellow was at the other end of the line, and it was soon discovered that it was to be no easy matter to capture him.

"I must let him run." said he, "and tire him out!"

Accordingly, he gave him line, which was carried off rapidly. Soon the excited fisherman began to haul in again, making sure of his victim this time.

"Stand by, Captain!" said he, "with the boat hook, and hook him in the gills when he comes up. Get well braced, for he's a rouser!"

The captain accordingly braced himself for a tug, boat hook in hand, and waited impatiently for the moment of capture. His excited comrade was yet pulling carefully and slowly at the line, lest it should be broken, and eagerly watching for the first appearance of the prize' when, suddenly, a 'sea change came over his features, and dropping the line, he exclaimed:

"*Je-rew-salem! Captain, it's the anchor!*"

The Captain went down in a shower of laughter, and it was a long time before the fisherman heard the last of catching an anchor, "playing it out," and "letting it run."

WOBURN RECORDS.

MARRIAGES CONTINUED.

Joseph Johnson, 4th of Woburn and Rebekah Hosley of Billrica, Jan. 31.

Benjamin Johnson and Mary Wyman, both of Woburn, Feb. 14.

1767.

Hiram Thompson and Bridget Snow, both of Woburn, m. Feb. 3.

Ebenezer Whiting and Anna Simonds, both of Wobrn, June 3.

Caleb Richardson of Stoneham and Sarah Richardson of Woburn, July 9.

Zachariah Richardson, jr. and Elizabeth Brooks, both of Woburn, Dec 30.

Caleb Parker of Reading and Kezia Reed of Woburn.

Giles Alexander of Wilmington and Sarah Reed of Woburn, April 28.

John Willet of Boston and Elizabeth Reed of Woburn, April 28.

John Willett of Boston and Elizabeth Reed of Woburn, May 27.

Abiather Johnson and Sarah Shilton, both of Woburn, July 9.

Thomas Greenough of Boston and Esther Wyman of Woburn, Nov. 26.

Benjamin Richardson and Rebekah Richardson, both of Woburn.

1768.

Jacob Danforth and Ann Conella, both of Woburn, m Jan. 13.

Jonathan Carter and Sybil Johnson, both of Woburn, Jan. 27.

John Shilton and Joanna Johnson, both of Woburn, Feb 2.

Isaac Johnson and Judith Pierce, both of Woburn, March 29.

Joel Richardson and Susanna Richardson both of Woburn, Oct 20.

John White of Woburn and Susannah Eaton of Reading, April 28.

Benjamin Pierce of Medford and Ruth Smith of Woburn, May 24.

James Wright and Ruth Tidd, both of Woburn, Oct 6.

Benjamin Corney of Malden and Hannah Richardson of Woburn, Oct. 17.

Joseph Skinner and Sarah Brooks, both of Woburn, Nov 1.

Thomas Skilton, jr. and Elizabeth Johnson, both of Woburn, May 10.

Timothy Twist and Elizabeth Winn, both of Woburn, July 12.

Nathaniel Cutler, jr. and Betty Bennett, both of Woburn, Sept 20.

Henry Reed and Prudence Haywood, both of Woburn, Sept 22.

Edward Twist, jr. and Sarah Eames, both of Woburn, Oct 4.

Eliphaz Wyman and Sarah Johnson, both of Woburn, Dec 20.

1769.

Joseph Knight, jr. of Stoneham and Sarah Holden of Woburn, April 16.

Josiah Richardson and Mary Richardson, both of Woburn, April 20.

Samuel Tay and Sarah Johnson, both of Woburn, April 27.

Dr John Flegg and Susanna Fowle, both of Woburn, June 21.

Oliver Richardson, jr. and Betty Tidd, both of Woburn, June 22.

Leonardson Richardson and Ruth Wright, both of Woburn, June 22.

Abraham Skinner and Susanna Wright, both of Woburn, July 6.

Samuel Brooks and Martha Pierce, both of Woburn, Aug 8.

Jonathan Monroe and Abigail Kendall, both of Woburn, Aug 10.

Reuel Baldwin and Kezia Wyman, both of Woburn, Oct 4.

John Flagg and Hannah Tidd, both of Woburn, Nov 6.

Samuel Marble, jr. of Sutton and Lucretia Richardson of Woburn, Nov 16.

Samuel Tidd of Woburn and Lucy Gardner of Charlestown, Dec 28.

Jonathan Fox and Surviah Tidd, both of Woburn, April 18.

William Young and Elizabeth Johnson, both of Woburn, June 8.

John Caldwell and Sarah Trask, both of Woburn, Aug. 8.

Mathew Skilton and Sarah Wyman, both of Woburn, Sept 6.

Amos Lock of Lexington and Sarah Lock o Woburn, Oct 19.

Jesse Simonds of Woburn and Elizabeth Simonds of Lexington, Nov. 16.

Nathan Dix and Elizabeth Wyman, both of Woburn, Nov. 16.

Thomas Phillips of Cambridge and Hannah Reed of Woburn, Dec 28.

1770.

David Fitch of Bedford and Mary Fowle of Woburn, m April 3.

Zebulon Richardson and Abigail Tidd, both of Woburn, April 11.

Elisha Sawyer, jr. of Lancaster and Mary Belknap of Woburn, May 3.

Ichabod Richardson and Sarah Wyman, both of Woburn, June 6.

Jonathan Fowle, jr. and Sarah Richardson, both of Woburn, June 7.

Moses Tyler and Anne Monroe, both of Woburn, June 28.

Dea. Samuel Eames of Woburn and Jeanne Fassett of Bedford, July 4.

Stephen Richardson, jr. and Martha Wyman, both of Woburn, July 9.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, JAN. 14, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. NICHOLS, WINN & Co
Winchester—DR. DAVID YOUNGMAN.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. DIKE.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

R.—We hope our Winchester friends will find many interesting items of local interest in these communications of R.

B. N. P.—Your article on "Light" is very acceptable, and will receive attention next week.

THEKLA.—We have received your several articles, all of which will, in due time, appear. We like the one on our "Own Pretty Town." Your allusion to the Hermit would lead us to suppose you had some knowledge of his cottage!

JOTHAM.—These early calls are dangerous, especially for "busy bodies." Always think twice before you act; it will save you much trouble.

L.—We have no remembrance of what you ask, and don't think it of sufficient importance to publish.

EDITORIAL.

FINISHED EDUCATION.

There are some incongruities in life, which would puzzle a modern philosopher to reconcile with just principle; and the older we grow the more stubborn we are in giving way to opinions, which, although popular, are not in our opinion sound. Our modern reformers wish to teach us that every principle which existed in the early days of our primitive history, has, by constant progress, become more enlarged and of more easy solution. We think there are some exceptions to the rule. We are too fast in our ideas of particular branches of Education,—we mean the acceptable, *fashionable* education of the day.

We have too much *fusion* of foreign manners and foreign influence in the accomplishment of an American education, the influence of which, on young minds, tend to destroy the faith and value of our schools and seminaries, and carries the idea that the sons and daughters of America cannot reach a finished education without the aid of a residence in London or Paris to complete it. This is not only a decided error, but a vain attempt at an elevation of society, which cannot be realized in crossing the Atlantic.

Egotistical pride, and the visionary tone of our exclusive fashionable circles, make many fools and false appearances, which, to a sensible and well educated mind, are disgusting, and to all common observers subject of marked ridicule. Yet how often do we hear the remark, that Miss or Mr. A. B. has received a finished education, completed it by a residence in London or Paris; as though people across the Atlantic were more capable of teaching the "young idea how to shoot," than we are in America. We grant that there are many prinbiples taught in European schools which we don't teach here, and don't wish to.

One of our exchanges has an article on the prominent Americans in Europe. Amongst others sojourning in Paris was Mrs. Maria Chapman, a well known retident of Boston, who was educating her daughters there, in branches which could not, she thought, be found in New England, and then stating that Miss Chapman was a near relative of Joshua Bates, Esq., of London; inferring that the high standing of a relative is a sufficient apology for this foreign residence to gain a finished education.

We have never visited London or Paris, and from specimens af elevated genius and refined manners which we have seen, we should never seek either of these fascinating cities to educcto a child of ours, and we will venture the remark that nine out of ten of these finished educated scholars, cannot surpass those of the High Schools and Academies of New England, and the tenth one will be lost in giving a history of their own country. We have witnessed the most absurd ignorance, in the common rudiments of education, by those finished scholars from under foreign teachers.

We have not room for further remarks on this subject to-day. We should like to wipe out this blot, this mania for foreign education, and shall at some future time resume it. We do not believe the world, large as it is, can produce a system of education so complete and prosperous as are the proofs from eminent men educated in the schools and seminaries of New England.

☞ We have for the past twenty-five years been engaged in commercial business, and never within that time have we known so many disasters and heavy destruction of lives and property, on land and at sea, in any one year, as has occurred within the past few months. The marine disasters are still coming to light, and we fear the end of the last terrible storm has not yet come.

☞ The funeral services last Sunday at the first Church, by the Rev. Mr. Edwards, over the remains of the late Mr. Abel Richardson, were very impressive. M. R. was one of our oldest and most respected inhabitants; his character was beautifully given in the remark by the pastor, "that he did not wear his best clothes in this world." His vacant seat at Church will remind us of the "passing away" of our fathers.

☞ We have heard many remarks very creditable to the Woburn Bank. It is a pleasure to record the item. The Bank is a Woburn institution, and we are pleased to hear of its prosperous condition.

☞ The Hon. Thos. H. Perkins, one of the oldest merchants of Boston, and whose name for the past half century is identified with the commerce and charitable institutions of that city died at his residence in Brookline last Tuesday evening age 89 years.

JOHN EDGELL, ESQ.

This gentleman has been presented with a beautiful Silver Pitcher by the Stockholders of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, and by his reply to the address it will be seen that it is his intention to retire from the Treasurership of that institution. The gift must be a gratifying one to Mr. Edgell, and it is only justice to him to state, that the language in the address conveys but the expression of the view of all who have had occasion to transact business with him in his official capacity. It was a compliment well deserved and handsomely rendered, and may he live many years to enjoy the consciousness that he discharged the duties honestly, honorably and satisfactorily to those who employed him, as well as to the public universally.

We were not in possession last week of Mr. Edgell's reply to the token of respect presented to him by the stockholders of the Woburn A. and M. Association, and in justice to all parties publish the whole proceedings this week.

After the disposition of the business of the Association, at their annual meeting, a Silver Pitcher was presented to John Edgell, Esq., by Bowen Buckman, Esq., at the request and in behalf of the stockholders of the Association as follows:

"CAPT EDGELL,—Sir—I am happy to say that I am selected to address you on this interesting occasion, in behalf of the stockholders of the Association. With feelings embued by respect, and warranted by a long experience of your faithful services as Treasurer of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, we cannot allow a further time to elapse in our present relations without conveying to you the high appreciation entertained for you, not only in the position you have so honorably held with us for the last twenty years, but as a gentleman and an honest man. We therefore solicit your acceptance of this Silver Pitcher, as a slight token thereof, and to add our heartfelt wishes for your continued health, happiness and prosperity."

Mr. Edgell replied as follows:

"Sir,—In accepting this beautiful Silver Pitcher through you as the organ of the members of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Associatien, as a token of respect, as you say, for my faithful services as Treasurer of this institution for twenty years, please accept my grateful acknowledgements.

It affords me very great satisfaction to think my services in behalf of those who have committed to my care for so many years the duties and responsibilities of this office have been satisfactory.

The President and Directors are among my dearest and warmest friends, and the social intercourse I have enjoyed with them during the long time of my official duties, have amply repaid me for all the services I have performed, and that portion of the past in which those services were discharged, will ever be among my happiest recollections.

This institution has been of vast benefit to the lender as well as the borrower of money; and by the judicious management of its affairs, it has risen as the morning light to the splendor of noonday.

In taking my final leave of the directors and stockholders, permit me to express my feelings of gratitude for the kindness always extended towards me, and especially on this occasion.

Permit me, once more, sir, on receiving this emblem of your kindness, to say, I thank the donors, and may our friendship be too long and too strong for time to obliterate."

The Edgell Pitcher will be left for a few days at the Jewelry Store of Mr. W. M. Weston, where the public are invited to call and examine it.

☞ At the annual meeting of the Lowell Railroad Corporation, last week, the report of the Directors for the past year showed the gross receipts for the year to be $434,599 99, the expenses $316,869 23, showing an increase over the year 1852, and leaving a clear nett profit of $114,098 34. The debt of the corporation is $205,500; total number of passengers for the year, 657,391. The old board of directors re-chosen. This is the best regulated and most prosperous road in America.

☞ The election of Dr. Smith, as Mayor of Boston, last Monday, is a triumph of the Temperance cause, and if we are not mistaken there will be a revolution among the liquor dealers, rum-shops and groggeries in that modern Athens. We do not wish to see mobs or riots in enforcing the law. There is a manner of executing the law without recourse to the extremes of authority; and we believe Dr. Smith understands his duty and will fearlessly perform it.

☞ The steamship "San Francisco," which sailed from New York a few days previous to the storm, with 500 soldiers and officers, bound to California, has been seen, completely dismasted and at the mercy of the sea. It is feared she has foundered with all on board. Steamers and revenue cutters have been despatched in search of her.

☞ Hon. Emery Washburn of Worcester was last Wednesday chosen Governor, and Wm. C. Plunkett of Adams, Lieut. Governor of the Commonwealth, both Whigs.

☞ We have been obliged, from want of room, to omit many articles prepared for this week's paper. Our notices of publications received and some local matters are laid over.

☞ The influence of climate on the hair is great, often causing it to fall off and turn gray. This can be entirely prevented by using Spalding's Rosemary and Castor Oil Wash. Persons going to California or Australia should take a supply. Sold by G. W. Fowle.

☞ The name of the Irishman killed on the Lowell Railroad, at Somerville, last Saturday night, was James Fitzgerald one of the workman at Talor's ledge. He was 27 years old and unmarried. He was run over by the 10 P. M., up train of Woburn Branch cars. What caused him to be there at that late hour, and for what purpose, is yet a mystery. It was not the fault of the conductor or engineer. He is supposed to have been intoxicated, and attempted to cross the track for the purpose of getting up behind the last car.

FIRE IN NEW YORK.—The immense pile of buildings fronting on Broadway, known as the Metropolitan Hall, and including the new and splendid Lafarge Hotel, was totally destroyed by fire on the morning of the 8th inst. Several adjoining buildings on Broadway and Mercer street, were also greatly damaged. The hotel had a large frontage on Broadway, was built in the costliest style of marble, and extended back to Mercer street, including under its roof the Metropolitan, formerly Tripler Hall. The fire commenced in the hall at 1 o'clock, and in about two hours the whole edifice was in ruins. The loss must be very great, as next to the St. Nicholas the Lafarge was the most costly hotel in the city. It was unoccupied, not being entirely finished. The weather was intensely cold, and the firemen worked at much disadvantage.

The aggregate loss of the Lafarge Hotel is estimated at $757,000, viz:—Hotel $350,000; Furniture, $157,000; Hall, 250,000.

FIRE IN PORTLAND.—On the morning of Jan. 8, at about six o'clock, a fire broke out in the Custom House, and by eight o'clock the entire building was in ruins. Besides the offices of the Customs, the building contained the Post Office, Reading Room, Atlantic Bank, U. S. Court rooms, Natural History Society's Rooms, J. S. Bailey's Bookstore, and other offices. Everything in the Post Office and Bookstore was saved, but the contents of the Custom offices, the splendid collection of the Natural History Society, Judge Ware's valuable law library, Reading Room, Court Room, and other offices, were totally destroyed. The loss is very heavy, but will mostly fall on the government. The building was formerly the Exchange, and was sold to the government for $129,000. It will probably cost $300,000 to rebuild it.

☞ The following persons were elected Senators from Middlesex county, last Monday, by the Legislature in Convention. They are all Whigs:

Winthrop E. Faulkner, of Acton.
G. Washington Warren, of Charlestown
George O. Brastow, of Somerville.
Peter Lawson, of Dracut.
Frederick O. Pierce, of Winchester.
Elihu Cutler, Jr., of Holliston.

☞ The man who witnessed the "March of Intellect," wishes to know who is the commander.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Written for the Journal.

Musings of a Busy Man About Town.

I never had so fair a proof of the truth of the old adage, "jumping out of the frying-pan into the fire," as I had a few days since, and I have been musing on the subject to a degree of philosophy becoming a busy man. I have come to the conclusion that it is much easier to burn one's fingers, than it is to get them well, and very often we busy fellows get a *scald* where we least expect it; so much for meddling with every body's business and neglecting your own.

I have endeavored to keep clear of State street lately for fear of meeting my broker friend, who has very likely read the "Woburn Journal," and may be is waiting to see me, and for fear of a collision, I go round, not to keep out of the presence of any creditor, although that plan is much in fashion. My California deposit is so well known, that I get many a smiling nod in State street, about one P. M.

But my getting into the fire is the trouble. I have a pair of very pretty cousins, young and full of life and its enjoyments, with a fair sprinkling of beauty, as seen in a mirror. They live in — street, which is considered about midway between the every day class of society and the "upper ten thousand." They have all the essential qualities of interesting young ladies just out of their "teens," and like the blooming "touch-me-not," sensitive to extremes, they like to have me call at the fashionable hour, and indulge in a social chit chat. We always have something new to talk about, generally about the folks in Beacon street and the West End. I being so much about town, give them some new ideas about dress and fashionable walking in Washington street on a wet day, and especially in a deep snow along the crossings.

Fowler & Wells, who examined my head, said I had a large bump of "self-esteem," with the usual bump of "caution" small; and that explains my general character of peeping into places without being invited, for I go upon the principle that when a man is not invited anywhere, he has a right to go when and where he pleases, and it is this prominent propensity that gets me into so many places where I don't belong, hence my jumping into the fire, after being on the frying pan in State Street.

I called, on Monday morning, to see my cousins and to wish them "a Happy New Year." I forget the hour, but as usual, without knocking, being a priveleged character, I walked in, found a good fire in the parlor, and evidence that living beings had just left in a hurry. No matter what these evidences were, they are nameless like all small articles left on the toilet table in a hurry. I put down my hat and rattan, (I always have a nice one, it looks so leisure-like,) and as I usually do, stepped up to the upper sitting-room, that's the fashionable name, and without reflection, opened the door, and made "one fine entree," and such another fluttering I never saw except when I happened on a partridge nest of young ones. The first salutation was a great shawl over my eyes, the next a push, and then a good slap, and "Cousin," (Jones I mean.) "this is too bad, what *could* have sent you here *so* early," and I heard a scrambling up of things, like the rustling of silks and satins, when the shawl fell off. There stood my two amiable cousins, and there stood "Jotham," musing on the scene. I found I was an hour too early. The room was in a confused condition, and so were my cousins, but I never retreat so long as there is a chance of a fair battle, so I took a chair, and began to make excuses, and in my unguarded moment of eloquence in pleading for forgiveness, (although I discovered a twisted smile, which seemed to say, don't be in a hurry,) my arm upset a small box on the toilet table, and out went the contents, and et ceteras which had been huddled in "topsy turvy," while I was blinded by that shawl. I am not acquainted with names, or I should make an inventory of the peculiar looking objects spread before me. This was capping the climax of my error in in time. What followed no matter, I made a fair and honorable exit. When I was again in Washington street, and musing on the casualties of life, I could not resist the thought of wondering if all these fashionable ladies now promenading, were in a similar situation to my cousins' at an early hour that morning. I shall never forget that early call; it is down on my diary as a caution for the future.

JOTHAM.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

No. 2.

MR. EDITOR:—Your excellent paper has many readers in this town, and is eagerly called for on its arrival; but by a little effort and a good canvassing agent, a large addition might be made to your list. It is not expected that a paper in the country should be sought after with the avidity of a city paper. A paper in the city has many facilities to procure news and interest the great public which a country paper does not possess. With lightning, steam and wave in its employ, space is annihilated and the most distant events brought to our doors; but while city papers are filled with general and extended news, we must rely upon those papers published in our midst for all local and personal news,—for that most interests us with which we are the more familiar. What can more interest one, when away from home, than to take up a paper containing something relative to the place or the people we have left behind. I think we commit a great error in running after high sounding papers, coming from a distance, without any real merit or ability. This neglecting the local press, which, if generously supported, could afford a larger outlay to please and interest us; besides, a newspaper in a town like Woburn, offers great advantages as an advertising medium, which citizens would not avail themselves of if they had to advertise abroad, thus opening increased opportunities for trade and exchange.

I see in your volume for 1854, that you intend devoting a space for agricultural purposes. This is as it should be; for no science is of such great consequence, and is so allied to the success and future growth of our country, as is the science of agriculture. Embracing three-fifths of the capital of the nation, producing a certain and increasing income. While yet in its infancy holding out incentives to the man of leisure, the man of wealth, and the man of improvement, which will in time make all other arts and sciences subservient to its great influence. A science, which, above all others, gives us an influence abroad, brings happiness and contentment to our midst, and peace and plenty to the millions who seek the benefit of our free government and free soil. What a noble field our country presents for the development of agriculture, affording almost every variety of climate and every combination of soil, with a home and foreign demand equal to our grandest enterprise. I hope some of the intelligent farmers in your town will contribute to your columns their views upon this subject; I doubt not they would be read with much interest and afford much instruction. We have some excellent farms in this town which are conducted with skill and profit. At some future time I will speak of their management and products.

The choice of pews in Lyceum Hall (occupied by the Baptist Society) were let out at auction last week. Thirty of them were thus disposed of, bringing a premium of $381 26; the highest premium was $55 50, the second $55, third $50 50, and so down to fifty cents. The pews were first appraised, and the above premiums were in addition to the appraisal, and the pews to be occupied but for one year. The Baptist Society here is in a flourishing condition, and owns much of its prosperity to the labors of its devoted and popular pastor, the Rev. Mr. Reed, who is a straight-forward and consistent christian, having the respect of society and the love of his people.

I notice in your paper the professional advertisement of Dr. Wm. Ingalls of this town, and I am glad that his name is thus presented to the public for its patronage, for no finer man, more gentlemanly citizen, skilful physician and accomplished surgeon, can be found in this region. More anon, R.

MR. EDITOR:—I do think somebody should take pity upon our town clock. Since the new bell was put up, the clock has seemed to lack *confidence*. When it strikes, it does it with so much trembling, that our sympathies cannot be otherwise than awakened. Will your readers and all others just listen to the striking of the town clock? Where are the men who should "fix things?" The effect produced by those *tremulous* tones is thrilling.

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Tuesday evening, Jan. 17, by Geo. M. Champney, Esq.

DEATHS.

"And what's a life? the flourishing array
Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

In this town, Jan. 9th, of chronic croup, Everett Leland, son of John F. and Martha J. Parker, aged 4 years, 11 months and 18 days.

This little boy was greatly endeared to his father and mother; for he was bright and unusually amiable. We have seldom looked upon a sweeter face than his in death. He was sick but three weeks, yet in great distress, nearly all the time, till within a few moments of his death, when his countenance resumed its usual pleasant and familiar expression. But here life gave way, and the last breath went in that sigh. Death, like a cruel victor, entered, and with rude haste, mastered the lovely form. J. M. M.

In this town, Jan. 5th, Mr. Abel Richardson, aged 76 years, 5 months.

In Charlestown, Jan. 5, Mrs. Mary Conn, widow of the late George Conn, aged 73 years.

LETTERS remaining in the Winchester Post Office, Jan. 1st, 1854.

Allen, Eliza J.	Johnson, N B
Burton, G T 2	Kilgmoor, Rev D T
Bowler, William	Kendell, Messrs E & G
Burlingame, Capt	Leach, Lebdelus Esq
Bodwell, Nath	Lydjard, David
Carlton, Sidney	Merrill, Joshua
Cummings, John Jr	Murdock, Mr E Jr
Cain, Nathan	Maxwell, W D
Cronin, Timothy	Nerdon, Miss Ellen
Cook, Jno Jr & Co	Oliver, Miss M P
Clement, Moses	O'Brien, Cormick 2
Calaway, Mr E D	Parker, Mr C L
Clarke, John	Purrington, Mr Daniel
Cummings, Lizzie H	Patch, Franklin
Davis, Mr D W	Porter, S 2
Dunbar, John Esq	Richardson, Mrs M L
Dunbart, James 2	Riardon, James
Dow, Ann J 2	Richardson, F S
Doolittle, Gilbert	Richardson, Lemuel
Drake, James S.	Richardson, Albert L
Evans, George F.	Rockwood Mr Wm
Foly Jerry	Read, Miss Lydia
Fisher, George	Stockman, Mr
Fullar, Mr P S	Starkey, Alvin Esq
Griffin, Howard B Esq	Starkey, Mrs Cyrus
Green, Mr Abel 3	Shea, Dennis,
Gilbert, Mr	Smith, Kate S.
Green, L W	Smith, Mrs Mary T
Gridley, Edwin	Smith, Mr H G
Gooodno & Saywer	Swan, Mr N B
Hays, Timothy	Wales, Witherel
Haskell, Mr H	Winship, Miss Nancy
Holt, S S	Wilde, Isaac P
Horne, Miss M J 3	Willoby, Miss M
Hutchinson, Messrs J H & A.	Whorf, S H
	Whitney, Mr J H
Hulburt, Mrs Wm	Wristley, Miss Ann

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say advertised.

HORACE HOLT, Postmaster.

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Woburn Post Office, December 31, 1853.

Andrews, John	Herriman, Darius G.
Blake, Charles	Jones, Miss Sarah S.
Brooks, Miss C. R.	Jones, Miss Louisa
Bowin, John	Jackson, N. N.
Blood, Rufus	Kendall, B.
Burk, Nelly	Lillie, Miss Mary
Black, Sarah E.	Lewis, Mrs. Harriet
Brooks, Geo. W.	Langley, S. J.
Christy, J. B.	Locke, Asa
Clark, Jonathan	McGonigle, Wm.
Cridge, Alfred, 3	Moreland, Mrs. Lydia
Clark, Dr. Albert	Munn, Charles
Cutting, Miss Ann	Martin, Phillip
Collins, Mr.	McCabe, Wm.
Dearborn, Mrs. Harriet	Noon, James
Durant, Geo.	Putnam, Wm. R.
Durivage, John E.	Poland, Mrs. Hannah
Donnell, Miss T. O.	Parker, Edmund
Dever, Catherine	Page, Alvin
Dalton, T.	Parker, Thaddeus, 2
Doherty, John, 2	Richardson, Preston,
Flagg, John G.	Reordan, Wm.
Frasier, Mrs. Dorinda	Richardson, Wm. H.
Farrington, Charles L.	Richardson, O.
Farrington, Charles	Russell, Daniel M.
Green, J. W.	Richardson, Samuel
Gaffney, Miss Cath.	Symmes, Luther R.
Grant, Daniel	Spur, Wm. H.
Gray, Mrs. Charles	Smith, R.
Harner, Michael	Spicer, Wm. H.
Hitchings, Joshua	Stratton, Miss C.E.K., 2
Hackins, John	Sayes, Squire,
Hayward, Arza	Sergeant, Ensign
Hart, D. D.	Twiny, C. H.
Hill, Miss Martha M	Wright, David
Hanley, Daniel	Wilson, James
Huestis, Wm. G.	Weeks, Miss Eliza H
Hardy, Reuben	Whittier, Marquis
Henderson, Archibald	Wright, Edward S.
	Willson, Horace

☞ Persons calling for Letters on this list, will please say they are ADVERTISED.

A. E. THOMPSON, POSTMASTER.

JOHN MILLER,
NORTH WOBURN, MASS.,
BELL HANGER,
AND DEALER IN
WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.
All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to. apr30.

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S.,
PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,
142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for the wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS
AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	New York Herald
Traveller.	Tribune.
Journal	Commonwealth
Times.	Rambler.
Herald.	Banner.
Commonwealth.	Museum.
WEEKLY	MAGAZINES;
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journa	Graham's.
Olive Banch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
Drawing Room Companion.	Living Age.

Agent for all the Newspapers and Magazines in the United States. W. FOWLE

MOREY & OBER,
(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)
MANUFACTURERS OF
BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA,
AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,
Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.
Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares
D. B. MOREY, } Dealers are invited to
R. H. OBER } call and examine.
oct. 18. 1 year

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.
jan 14 3t

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Caleb French, an insolvent debtor, are requested to make payment to Tho's J. Porter, immediately, and all persons having mutual and unsettled accounts, are requested to present them for adjustment, to the subscriber.
THO'S J. PORTER, Assignee.
Woburn, January 9th, 1854. 4t

FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY!

The original and well known

PHILHARMONIC VOCALISTS!!

Will give (by particular request,) ONE of their Popular, Musical and Mirthful Soirees, at the Town Hall, Woburn Centre, Thursday evening, Jan. 19th, 1854. Tickets 15 cents.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator to the estate of Mary Clinton, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, single woman, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to JAMES TWEED, *Ad'r.*
Woburn, Dec. 24th, 1853. 3t

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.
Jan. 1854 tf

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.
N. S. CATE, Agent.
East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

DR. SCALES,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

NOTICE.

ALL persons having demands against the Town of Woburn, are requested to bring them in to the Selectmen before the 1st day of February, 1854.
HORACE CONN, }
HORACE COLLAMORE, } *Selectmen of Woburn.*
ALFRED G. CARTER, }
dec31 tf

NOTICE.

THE firm of Otis & Bailey is this day dissolved. All affairs of the firm will be settled by G. H. OTIS.
Woburn, Jan. 1, 1854. 1t

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. A. BOUTELLE.
Woburn, Dec 28, 1853.

CLOTHING.

THE subscriber will keep constantly on hand and for sale a general assortment of Ready-made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, cheap for Cash.
Please call at WM. A. MILES'.
dec31 4w.

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.
dec31 3w

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
dec31. 2w

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A small house, situated on Court street, containing six rooms, wood-shed, and shoe maker's shop; in every way convenient for a small family. Will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms, if applied for soon. Enquire of N. BODWEL, on the premises. dec24tf

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.
CHANDLER & CO.
Have received a handsome assortment of
SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.
Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at
Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

OR NO CHARGE. The best Dye in the market, for sale by the subscriber, and applied on his premises, to ladies and gentlemen, so as to give perfect satisfaction, or no charge will be made,—at the Comb and Perfumery Store of A. S. JORDAN, 191 Washington st., six doors North of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Retire F. Kimball, late of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, housewright, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to SAMUEL S. RICHARDSON, *Adm.*
Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Warner C. Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, trader, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.—All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to BOWEN BUCKMAN, *Adm.*
Woburn, November 8th, 1853.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor to the last will and testament of Barth'w Richardson, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to
BARTHOLOMEW RICHARDSON, *Ex'r.*
Woburn, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

BY license of the Court of Probate, for the county of Middlesex, will be sold at Auction, on Monday, the 16th day of January next, at 3½ o'clock P. M., about 33,000 feet of land, situated on Academy Hill, on the corner of Warren and Sumner streets. Also, one other lot of land, situated in Fulton Village, in the easterly part of Woburn, being lot numbered 17, on the plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing companies. The above land will be sold on the premises of the lot on the Academy Hill.
CHARLES CHOATE, *Ex'r.*
Woburn, Dec. 22, 1853. tf

Collector's Sale for Taxes.

WILL be sold at **PUBLIC AUCTION**, on MONDAY, the 9th day of January next, at two o'clock P. M., at the Selectmen's Room in Wade's Block, in Woburn, so much of the Real Estate, (situated in said Woburn,) belonging to the following residents of said town, as shall be sufficient to pay the Taxes assessed thereon for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said residents, real estate, and taxes, are as follows, viz:

Daniel Wright, 2d—About one-fourth of an acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Washington street, in the easterly part of said Woburn, and bounded south-westerly by said Washington street, north-westerly by a private way leading out of said street, and easterly by another private way leading out of said street. State, County and Town Taxes, $5.50.

Peter Bigney—About one-fourth of an acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Church street, near the centre village in said Woburn, and bounded westerly by said Church street, northerly by land of James A. Mann, and easterly and southerly by land of George Flagg. State, County and Town Taxes, $3.75.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold at Public Auction, so much of the Real Estate, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, belonging to the following non-resident, as shall be sufficient to pay the taxes assessed thereon, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said non-resident, real estate and taxes, are as follows, viz:

Charles Eddy—About one-fourth of an acre of land, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, on Canal street, and bounded southerly by said street, westerly by land of John R. Vining, and northerly and easterly by land of Thomas Richardson. State, County and Town Tax, $1.50. School District Tax, in District No. 6, 10 cents.

If said Taxes, and all legal costs and charges, shall not be paid on or before said time of sale, so much of said Real Estate will then and there be sold as shall be sufficient to pay the same.
EDWARD SIMONDS,
Collector of Taxes for Woburn.
Dec. 8th, 1853.

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the
Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.
Their work shall not be exceeded by any.
OTIS & BAILEY.
Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat
sept. 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by
A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E. F. Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

Christmas and New Year PRESENTS.

GREAT VARIETY of Christmas and New Year presents, for sale cheap at E. E. Cooper's Drug Store.

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at
W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W. WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.—Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by
L. THOMPSON, Jr.

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.
N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.
☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.
A. F. ONION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

Stoves for Sale.

FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,
CAPITAL
$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.
E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.
HIRAM FLAGG.

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.
The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of
L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernard, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.
Woburn, Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.
All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.
Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

Simonds' Quadrille Band.

MR. A. SIMONDS respectfully announces to his friends and the public, that he is prepared to furnish music for Balls, Assemblies and Private Parties, &c., on the most reasonable terms. Orders left at A. Simonds residence, near the Watering Station, Woburn, or to E., A. H., or B. Simonds, of Wilmington, near the depot, will receive prompt attention.
Woburn, Oct. 22d, 1853. 4w

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn, Winchester and vicinity, that he has **enlarged** and **refitted** his Store, and is now ready to supply them with BOOTS and SHOES, in all their varieties, at low prices.
Grateful for the very liberal patronage bestowed, he would solicit a continuance of their favors.
AUGUSTUS ROUNDY,
Sept. 24, 1853. cor. of Main and R. R. Sts.

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.
Have now opened their entire importation of
6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.
Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.
We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that
A More Full and Desirable Assortment
IS NOT TO BE FOUND.
Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.
We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.
Chandler & Co.
Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.
nov5 tf

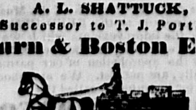
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

The Subscriber has just received a large assortment of Goods for the coming holydays.
Annuals, Bibles, Histories, Juvenile Books of all kinds suitable for Presents.
Also, a great variety of
Toys, Games, Fancy Articles, &c.
All of which will be sold at lowest prices.
G. W. FOWLE.
Woburn, Dec. 17, 1853.

New Stock of Ladies' Cloths.

CHANDLER & CO.
Have received their entire importation of Cloths for
LADIES' CLOAKS AND DRESSES.
Comprising various grades, from medium to the finest qualities manufactured, and in shades of color unsurpassed in beauty.
The assortment of the above goods now being complete, purchasers are reminded that the present is the most favorable time to make satisfactory selections.
For Sale at Wholesale and Retail,
6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov5 tf

A. L. SHATTUCK,
(Successor to T. J. Porter.)
Woburn & Boston Express,



Offices in Boston, No. 128 Washington St., and 46 North Market street. Office in Woburn, at Woodberry's Store, and at Elbridge Trull's Store.
Orders for freight, packages, &c., promptly attended to
February 26th, 1853. tf

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.
Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.
BAYLEY & CO
Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Farm for Sale in Winchester,

ABOUT one mile from the Depot, consisting of 15 acres of choice land, with a good 2 story house, barn and shed, an aqueduct of spring water that never fails. There is on this land an orchard of about two acres, containing apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, or about 15 years growth, all in bearing. This land is of the border of Winter Pond, and pleasantly situated for building purposes.
For further particulars inquire of GEORGE WYMAN, on the premises, or of GARDNER SYMMES, Main street, Winchester.
Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853. tf

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's
BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.
Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'
BOOTS and SHOES,
Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.
Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.
☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.
ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B. F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.
Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853. tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,
OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,
HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.
—ALSO—
BOYS' CLOTHING,
The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.
Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.
Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.
oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. **SCISSORS** of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent
TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.
Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery
Of all kinds **RAZORS** in great variety. English German and American SKATES — LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.
For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by
JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.
Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct 21st.
Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.
Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

Now is the Time

TO subscribe for the **Phrenological and Water Cure Journals**, for 1854. The *cheapest* and *best* papers in the United States. 62½ cents per year, each. R. H. HOWARD, *Agent*, Woburn, Mass.
dec24 4w

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.
may28tf

MENZIES & WHITE.
—DEALERS IN—
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS
371 Washington Street,
Next Door to the "Adams House,"............BOSTON
G MENZIES H. H WHITE
One Price....All Representations Warranted
an 24 1y

HUNTING & EATON,
EATING HOUSE,
No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,
HERMAN HUNTING, } BOSTON
MARCUS EATON, }
☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated
TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS
BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.
General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes. July 9 tf

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

—OF—
Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS!
RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,
Rich Piece Goods, &c.
JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW
One Price Cash System,
—AT—
OAK HALL CLOTHING HOUSE,
NORTH STREET,
oct29 BOSTON. 8t

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.
WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF
SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS,
SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,
AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.
Bargains May be Expected,
☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.
GEO. W. WARREN & CO,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.
November 19. 4w

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.
Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO
Long and Square Shawls.
In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,
To which they invite the attention of purchasers.
NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of
READY-MADE CLOTHING
— AND —
FURNISHING GOODS,
Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold
Cheap for Cash.
His stock of **OVERCOATS** consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.
A large assortment of
Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.
FOWLE'S BLOCK.
Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—
FASHIONABLE SILKS.
CHANDLER & COMPANY
Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of
DRESS SILKS,
Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of
RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " "
BROCADE SILKS,
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.
Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.
CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,
Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of
Cashmere Long and Square Shawls
In medium and fine qualties, and in the newest styles,
For sale, wholesale and retail, at
Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov1 tf CHANDLER & Co.

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT
J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

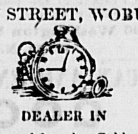
ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spaulding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,
1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache,
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING,
DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW,
Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.
Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.
Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.
Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—
HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.
Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.
Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.
N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.
J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.
Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishely

W. M. WESTON,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN,

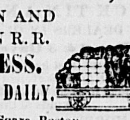


DEALER IN
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils, Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.
Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.
Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of
Musical Instruments,
such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner
Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.
ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.
april 3 tf.

CONVERSE & Co.,

WOBURN AND BOSTON R.R.

EXPRESS.
5 TRIPS DAILY.



OFFICES. { 10 Court Square, Boston,
{ R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,
Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed. Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr15tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to meet their patronage.
Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.
AMOS LOCKE.
☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.
Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.
THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.
Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.
oct 18 tf

BY J. PHILBRICK.

BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 62 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.
J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a spendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c. jy30is6m.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.
Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by
EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.
may 14 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies
June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist. apr2

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.
Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my 28 tf JOHN ASH

Fortunes Made by Advertising.

FROM a small pamphlet, called "The Art of making Money," an extract has been taken, and is going the round of the provincial press, pointing out the facility of making immense sums by the simple process of continuous advertising. Doubtless large sums have been, are, and will be made by such a system by certain persons of ability, who no doubt would make their way in the world if called upon to play different parts on the great stage of life; but to suppose that men in general must, as a matter of course, acquire wealth by such means, is as absurd as to imagine that all the penniless and shoeless of London are capable of rising to the dignity and wealth of an alderman or the lord mayor of London simply by reading the "Young Man's Best Companion." Money is not so easily made as the writer of the article referred to would lead people to suppose; if it be so, few need be poor. But to our text: fortunes made by advertising. Undoubtedly the greatest man of the day as an advertiser is Holloway, who expends the enormous sum of twenty thousand pounds annually in advertisements alone; his name is not only to be seen in nearly every paper and periodical published in the British Isles, but as if this country was too small for this individual's exploits, he stretches over the whole of India, having agents in all the different parts of the upper, central, and lower provinces of that immense country, publishing his medicaments in the Hindoo, Gordoo, Goozratee, and other native languages, so that the Indian public can take the Pills and use his Ointment according to general directions, as a Cockney would do within the sound of Bow Bells. We find him again at Hong Kong and Canton, making his medicines known to the Celestials by means of a Chinese translation. We trace him from thence to the Philipine Islands, where he is circulating his preparations in the native languages. At Singapore he has a large depot: his agents there supply all the Islands in the Indian Seas. His advertisements are published in most of the papers at Sidney, Hobart Town, Launceston, Adelaide, Port Philip, and indeed in almost every town of that vast portion of the British empire. Returning homewards, we find his Pills and Ointment selling at Valparaiso, Lima, Callao, and other ports in the Pacific. Doubling the Horn, we track him in the Atlantic—Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Santos, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, and Perrambuco: he is advertising in those parts in Spanish and Portugue e. In all the British West India Islands, as also in the Upper and Lower Canadas, and the neighboring provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, his medicines are as familiarly known, and sold by every druggist, as they are at home. In the Mediterranean we find them selling at Malta, Corfu, Athens, and Alexandria, besides at Tunis and other portions of the Barbary States. Any one taking the trouble to look at the Journal and Courier of Constantinople, may find in there, as well as other papers, that Holloway's medicines are regularly advertised and selling throughout the Turkish empire; and even in Russia, where an almost insurmountable barrier exists, the laws there prohibiting the entree of patent medicines, Holloway's ingenuity has been at work, and obviates this difficulty by forwarding supplies to his agent at Odessa, a port situated on the Black Sea, where they filter themselves surreptitiously by various channels, into the very heart of the empire. Africa has not been forgotten by this indefatigable man, who has an agent on the river Gambia: also at Sierra Leone, the plague spot of the world, the inhabitants readily avail themselves of the Ointment and Pills; thus we can show our readers that Holloway has made the complete circuit of the globe, commencing with India, and ending, as we do, with the Cape of Good Hope, where his medicines are published in the Dutch and English languages; and while speaking of Dutch, we have heard that he has made large shipments to Holland, and is about advertising in every paper or periodical published in that kingdom: we might add that he has also started his medicine in some parts of France; in some portions of Germany; as also in some of the Italian states. We have been at some little trouble to collect all these facts, because we fear that the article before alluded to, "the Art of making Money," is calculated to lead people to spend their means in the hope (as the author states) of making a hundred thousand pounds in six years for their pains, by holding up as an easy example to follow such a man as Holloway, who is really a Napoleon in his way. Many may have the means, but have they the knowledge, ability, energy, judgment, and prudence necessary? Failing in any one of these requisites, a total loss is certain. Holloway is a man calculated to undertake any enterprise requiring immense energies of body and mind. He has made a large fortune by his labors; and is, we should suppose, every day greatly increasing his wealth. Of course it is not to our interest to deter the public from advertising: but, as guardians of their interest, we think it our incumbent duty to place a lighthouse upon what we consider a dangerous shoal, which may perhaps sooner or later prevent shipwreck and ruin to the sanguine and inexperienced about to navigate in such waters.

The Editor of the Edinburgh Review, in a number published about three years ago, stated, that he considered he was making a desirable bequest to posterity, by handing down to them the amount of talent and ability required by the present class of large advertisers. At that period Holloway's mode of advertising was most prominently set forth; and if these remarks, conjointly with his, should descend to a generation to come, it will be known to what extent the subject of this article was able to carry out his views, together with the consequent expenditure in making known the merits of his preparations to yearly the whole world. [Pictorial Times, a London weekly Paper.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.
CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.
Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.
Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.
† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.
Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.
Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.
The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M, carry Freight.
Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston
*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M
W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.
Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.
apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

METROPOLITAN
FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,
Capital, $200,000,
OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,
INSURES
Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.
DIRECTORS.
Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........L. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.
LUTHER MONSON, *President.*
E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*
The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.
G. M. FOWLE.
Woburn, September 17, 1853.

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.
Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of
ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.
6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

TO ROBERT M. DENNETT.

Go, speed on thy mission, bring joy to the heart,
The gleanings of genius, the records of art;
Thy bright face is welcome, e'er beaming with joy,
May a blessing attend thee, "our Carrier Boy.,'

O, may this New Year bring no cloud to thy brow,
May it ever reflect back the sunshine, as now;
Thy light buoyant step, and eyes sparkling with joy,
Ensures thee a welcome, "our Carrier Boy."

May time bring no impress of sorrow to thee,
But leave thy brow fair, and thy wild fancy free;
And if aught save the Journal thy time shall employ,
We ne'er will forget thee, "our Carner Boy."

ANNA.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

[For the Journal.]

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAIN.

MR. EDITOR:—I observed in your paper a short time since, that a correspondent and neighbor of ours introduced wheat as a subject worthy of much attention. As we have had but a little experience in the cultivation of this grain, we must acknowledge in the onset, that we are not competent to bestow upon it that importance which it well deserves; but notwithstanding this our limitation of its cultivation, we formed a favorable opinion, for the grain was very good, and the yield superlative to rye. We think the pecuniary interest which would accrue from raising winter wheat in this section of Massachusetts, would be superlative to that of most other kinds of grain, especially when flour is selling at the present high prices. Why should the farmer neglect or oppose the plan of extensively cultivating winter wheat in this State, for its domestic consumption is certainly greater than that of other grain, and the labor necessary to be bestowed upon raising wheat, is the last, or is small in comparison with that essential to most other productions.

We would not have the reader understand that we discard the cultivation of other grains, for grain of almost every distinction is worthy of propagation in the New England States; such of those as are congenial to the climate. The home consumption of grain is so large, it should be a sufficient guarantee to stimulate the farmer to its cultivation. Why should we ever depend upon the "far west" for our grain, when our soil and climate is well adapted and congenial for these dependent productions? A certain writer in the N. E. Farmer, not long since, estimated that grain could be raised in this State, at a less price than what its prices has averaged for years past. This, in connection with many other reasons which might be given, favors the cultivation of grain in this State. J.

Winchester, Jan. 2d, 1854.

COLDS IN SHEEP.

These animals are not unfrequently affected with colds and coughs during the winter season, attended with mucous discharges, or a running at the nose. The best and most effectual remedy with which we are acquainted, are the spines and boughs of the white and yellow pine and hemlock, and common tar. The latter should be rubbed over their noses, which may be easily and effectually accomplished by spreading it on a board, and sprinkling salt over it. The animals will devour the tar with the salt, and not with so much care as to prevent their noses from becoming pretty well smeared with it. Careful attention and liberal keeping will strengthen sheep, and greatly assist them in bearing up against this disease.

After sheep have been kept on dry fodder several weeks, they highly relish green or succulent food. If they are confined to the yard, scatter over it the evergreens mentioned above, and they will be found to leave the best timothy or clover, and feed on the pine and hemlock leaves. Turnips, beets, or carrots chopt, and fed to sheep, tend to keep them strong and in a healthy condition, and there is nothing lost to the farmer in feeding these and occasionally a few beans or a little corn. They yield more wool, and larger and stronger lambs, under such treatment, and afford more profit than if scantily fed.

"WHAT THE APPLE MAN SAYS IN 1853." Mr. N. P. Morrison, of Somerville, informs us that he has just received ten dollars and eight cents for one barrel and 28 apples of the Hubbardston variety. These apples were sold by the retailer at 50 to 75 cents a dozen. Mr. M. cultivates about 8 acres of land; his fruit crop, this barren year, brought him $850,00. For 26 bushels of apples he received $60,00. For 136 barrels, he received $408,00. For strawberries and raspberries, $100,00. The balance, to make up the whole sum, $850,00, was for cider apples, sold at 8 to 12 cents a bushel, and for early windfalls sold in July and August. Perhaps some of our young men will come to the conclusion that the market for good fruit is not yet overstocked.

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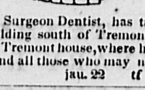

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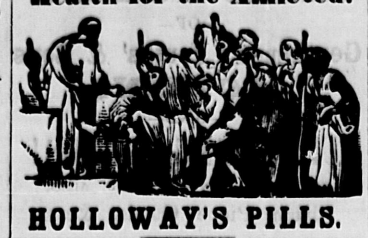

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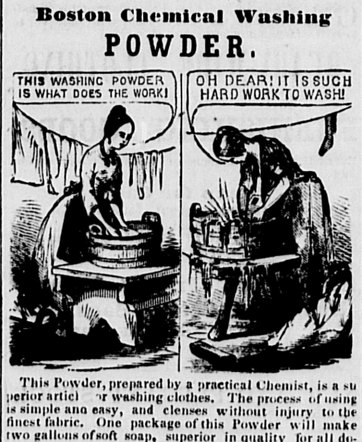

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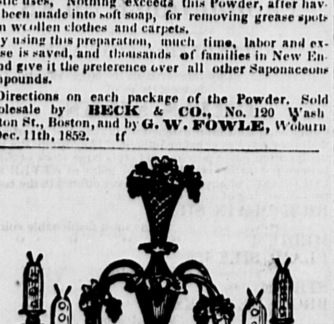

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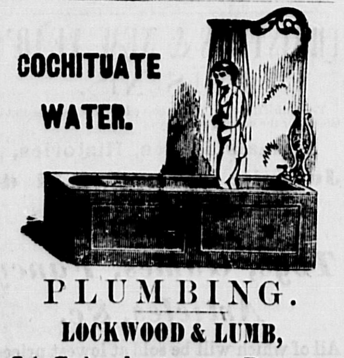

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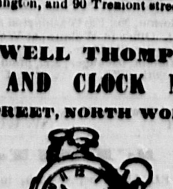

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POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

WHERE ART THOU TO-NIGHT.

Where art thou to-night, Katy?
The sky is dark and drear,—
Come with thine eye of love and light,
And drive from mine this tear.
Our hearts would beat in tune, Katy,
As when we met of yore;—
Ah, peaceful hours, ye fled too soon,—
Will ye come back no more?

And art thou happy now, Katy?
Are others pressing near,
To twine a chaplet round thy brow,—
Thy gentle voice to hear?
And when they share thy smiles, Katy,
And breathe their love to thee,—
Dost thou approve?—or turn aside
And bend thy thoughts to me?

A corner in thy heart, Katy,
Is worth the world to me;
Suppose it bids the warm tears start—
They pledge my truth to thee.
Dost thou assent to this, Katy?
Then I'll no longer sigh,—
Thou would'st not think it much amiss,
To kiss thee one "good bye?"

B. P.

ORIGINAL.

[For the Journal.]

OUR OWN PRETTY TOWN.

BY THEKLA—THE RECLUSE.

Let cities boast of wealth and houses,
Where side by side live lord and clown;
I would not change, not with the grandest,
My home in this, our pretty town.

Woburn,—beautiful, wild, picturesque, romantic Woburn! Who will deny it, or who will attempt to say ours is not a pretty town, a place to which we feel proud to give the appellation of home. There is no one town within fifty miles of us, that can hold out so many inducements to strangers as our own pretty Woburn. The centre village, so Boston like in business, is also one of the most desirable places for a quiet home the country can afford. True, it is now mid-winter; a snowy mantle covers the earth; the songs of the birds have ceased, and the wayside flower is resting beneath the snowy vale. But winter in the country has its beauties, and there is grandeur and beauty in witnessing the terrible storms. Our large open fields, which are so fragrant with flowers in summer, are now white as alabaster, covered over with pure white snow. How unlike the city, where dust and dirt mars each fleecy flake as it falls upon the earth. Who then would exchange, even in winter, a home in this our pleasant town for a city life. Here, all are cared for. Though there are poor people among us, yet they are provided for. No half clad little barefooted children are peeping in at our doors, for if they are suffering they are fed and clothed, and kept in doors. Oh, how unlike the city, where you meet at every corner some distressed human being. When Spring comes, then it is we, who live in the country, can enjoy life.

Who has not heard of our beautiful village, its neat streets and elegant dwellings; gardens laid out in the most exquisite beauty, sending forth their odors to refresh the traveler as he journeys on. Then we have other spots, aside from the village, which, to all lovers of nature, are delightful to view. Leaving our pretty village, you take a circuitous route toward a dense forest. Crossing hills and deep ravines, you will at last find a clearing, and in the centre of our deep shady wildwood you will find our "Hermit's Cottage." I need not describe the place, as he often talks with you all with his vigorous pen. You will see him in summer, leaning upon his staff, listening to his choir of wild birds, who are always flying around his cot. He tells you what he busies himself about, at this season, and that his faggot fire burns no brighter than does his poetic mind, lit up with the memory of the past. How well it repays the reader as he ponders over the advice, the gentle admonitions, the warnings, that come from the hermit's pen. Few have seen so much of human nature as our aged friend. Few have witnessed such sad spectacles of human weakness as our venerable hermit. Oh, what a mind is yet alive in all its freshness and beauty in this aged man. How many of us who read his touching tales will live to see so many snows? But few. Many of his companions died long, long ago, and unless we live free from the temptations of this world, we will never realize the golden age that now crowns our aged hermit's days with happiness and peace.

A home in our pretty town has one of the richest and one of the most interesting enjoyments the mind can desire to gratify. I have also intended to give you a description of "Hazel Green," a snug spot in our pretty town. I have lived at this place long enough to appreciate its beauty and love its quietness. It is a large green, surrounded with pine and cedar trees, which of late have been bent to the earth with a weight of snow. A hedge of hazel bushes is in front of my dwelling. Now the hedge is leafless, but in summer it is green and beautiful. I will tell you, by and by, of many little curiosities I have, and why I came to take up my abode at Hazel Green.

Two half-breed Indians, at the mouth of the Coquille, on Koose Bay, Southern Oregon, recently dug out 150 pounds of genuine gold ore.

[For the Journal.]

LIGHT.

Light is of importance to us all; this is the way to begin a composition,—the model way. Most of us live by it, (that is, by the light,) all but fumsellers and a few others, who "love darkness rather than light," for a particular reason. But "nobody reads an introduction to a newspaper article," says the Examiner; therefore one should plunge right into a subject as one takes a cold bath.

A few weeks since the writer commenced some experiments upon the cheapest and best method of lighting rooms, for the various purposes of life, when the sun has turned his back upon us.

Every species of fluid lamp is dangerous, or unfit to use for other reasons, the most prominent of which are, it is very injurious to the eyes and the lungs, and is withal more expensive (that is, in the cost of the material burned) than a much better lamp.

The solar lamp gives light enough, but then it consumes a great deal of oil, is difficult to keep in order, and becomes much heated while in use, so that if we are obliged to sit with the head near it, it produces headache, and it is also somewhat difficult to concentrate the light and send it in a right direction.

The various astral burners require the best of oil, and this is about as difficult to obtain as "pure liquor" now-a-days.

The lamp which has given the most satisfaction, and which is unquestionably better adapted than all others for those purposes which require the condensation of light to a certain extent upon objects placed beneath it, —that is, upon the table or upon work held in the hand,—is of German invention, I believe, (I do not know its name,) and was introduced here by Mr. Wm. Woodbury. This lamp I have burned seventy hours, it consuming during that time one quart of the cheapest oil I could obtain, costing one-third of a cent an hour. The small solar costs one cent an hour, the common double-wick lamp about the same, if a good quality of oil is used, which is necessary, if we desire a good light. This new lamp is not only economical but very beautiful, and one can look directly at it without injury to the eyes. It is well adapted to the use of mechanics, who want the light thrown directly down upon their work-benches, thus obviating the difficulty produced by shadows caused by lights coming in a lateral direction. For any one who is obliged to sew in the evening, it seems to me almost perfect. Of course, upon a subject of so much importance, careful trials should be made. I give the result of my own experience, and also of others who have tried the same, carefully noting down the time it was used each evening, until, as I have mentioned above, one quart of oil was consumed.

One thing it would be well to remember, in all cases where cheap oil is used, that is that it should be well shaken before each filling of the lamp, else that in the lower part of the vessel will scarcely burn at all.

R. N. P.

Woburn, Jan. 16, 1854.

A neatly dressed Corkonian female yesterday entered Mr. John Wiley's book store in Broadway, and greeting the salesman, Mr. James Bouton, with a friendly salutation, inquired:

"Have yees air a directhory?"

"Certainly, ma'm, you will find it yonder;" and Mr. B. pointed to the niche in which that very useful compilation was deposited.

After rummaging over the pages of the volume for some time, apparently without success in her search, the lady ejaculated, "What kind of a Directhory is this, at all, at all? Shure me owld man ain't in it, and himself livin' in Boston since last Candlemas."

"This, ma'am," answered the urbane clerk, "is a *New York* Directory, and does not include Boston."

"Well, ye omadhoun, ye; and shure me husband *kem* to New Yerack two weeks ago, and got worruck; and thin sint a letther to me to come on afther him; and himself forgot to say where he was a worrukin."

"Really, ma'am, it's a very hard case; but it's doubtful whether you will obtain any information from the Directory, as it is only written once a year."

"Oh, bad luck to the likes of Pat McMullin," emphasized she, "to bewilder me this way, and meself lost in a big town, widout a shillin' in me pocket."

"What is your husband's name, ma'am?" querried Mr. B.

"Pat McMullin, an' shure."

"Here are about seventy *McMullins* on this page, ma'am; what trade did he follow?"

"Ne'er a thrade at all; *shure he's an Irishman!*"

Mr. Bouton was nonplussed. [N. Y. Jour. Com.

A Horse in a Well. At Newton Lower Falls, on Thursday, a horse belonging to Williams' express, and employed in hauling some coal, while backing into a yard, found himself suddenly in a well about eight feet deep, that had been concealed by the snow. He presented a very ridiculous appearance with his nose just perceptible above the brink. He manifested a little chagrin at first, but very soon after, when his owner had procured a tackle, his equanimity was restored. The next day he was at work with no apparent inconvenience from his cold bath.

Written for the Journal.

HASTY DASHES.—No. 4.

Stormy Weather.—Friend, shrink not from the fire, draw up closer, and with a volley of fun and wit rout the horrors of the pitiless storm raging without.

"Sleek o'er your rugged looks,
Be bright and jovial."

Who was not glad this morning to see the big snow flakes with feathery softness stealing downward through the air? And who was not impatient to "feast his greedy eyes" with the interment of old Earth beneath an ample pile of snow, that he might with pious jollity overrun her new made grave with the "merry, merry sleigh?" But where now is the jingling of the bells? 'Tis rain, rain,—and rattling wheels still sound along the streets. No rustling of silk, no mincing tread of graceful maiden feet is heard along the pavement,—'tis too turbulent weather for delicate greenhouse plants! But of the masculine order, a complement! Just see that moping train advancing leisurely, with their heads, *a la* turtle, drawn in beneath their ample garments, heedless of rain or tempest. And then yonder you see a few tugging with an umbrella against the wind, which blows, as De Quincey says, so strong, that you may lean your back against it like a post!

If no fiercer storms were raging than that which rages without, this would be a fortunate world.

"There are swift hours in life,—strong rushing hours,
That do the work of tempests in their might."

Away from the marts of business and the abodes of luxury, in a lonely valley or glen, on a sterile soil, stands a crumbling cottage, the sport of "every stormy wind that blows." The whistling of the gale through the crennied casement fills the hearts of the want-stricken inmates with sad and gloomy forebodings of the future. In that hovel is a storm fiercer than that of the elements. Through disaster and adversity that widowed parent has struggled on, until her last energies are nearly exhausted,—and now the terrible visage of utter want stares in upon her; and in her haggard looks and "tremblings of distress," we cannot fail to recognise the presence of a violent conflict,—a commotion of the mental elements,—that will, ere long, prostrate utterly all remaining purposes and hopes.

A thousand pictures might be drawn of those storms that contend not with the bodies of men merely, but lay waste their mental powers. What clouds of darkness overhang the millions of hearts bleeding beneath the tortures of serfage and slavery! And beneath the discharge of these impending clouds how quickly do they lanquish out their existence! It is a dark storm that is breaking down their energies, and a still more gloomy future lies in prospect.

These may be extreme cases, yet no destiny falls to man that leaves him in the enjoyment of uninterrupted sunshine. Shadows overspread much of the region called life, and no one should be disappointed to see the clouds darken above him.

"Unto each life some rain must fall;
Some days be dark and dreary."

What hours of misery sometimes crowd upon us, when we try to peer into the future, but find it dark, presenting no encouraging omens of success? Our past seems all marked over with disasters, and the present seems to open no avenues whereby we may hope to meet one smile of benignant fortune. How uninviting then appear the so-called pleasures of life! Gleams of sunlight brighten the life-course of those around us; but ours, how sombre and dark!

But, children of adversity, despair not. Storms have their appointed use. Your condition shall not be uncared for. A blessing shall be left with you, however dark the storm that has beset you.

"Why, when all is bright and happy, should a gloom
Be spread around us? O, blind and thoughtless soul!
'Tis the same power that reigns, and the same love
Is traced alike in sunshine and in shade;
The cloud that bears the thunder in its folds
Comes on the errand of good will to man!
O, we should cling too close to earth, and love
Too well its pleasures and delights,
Were there no shadows on its scenes of light,
No sorrow mingled with its cup of joy;
If sweet fulfilment followed all our hopes,
Like the unfoldings of a spring flower-bud,
We should not seek a better world than this;
Where then would be the reachings of the soul
For higher pleasures and those purer joys
That have no other dwelling-place but heaven?"

B. P.

From Minnesota. We find in the St. Anthony Express gratifying evidence of the continued prosperity of Minnesota. For instance, it is stated that a year since there was only one building from the western side of Lake Calhoun to the western boundary of Hennepin county. Now on the route of the Territorial road lately established, farms are to be seen for twenty-four miles. The New York and Northampton colonies have made these improvements. Around Minnetonka Lake twenty-one Dutch families have settled the past year, and have proved themselves to be good citizens and most excellent farmers.—Some of them are quite wealthy. The springing up of other "colonies" is also noticed, showing that this infant state is fast increasing in population, enterprise and wealth.

One thousand gallons of milk are sent to Boston daily from the town of Warren.

A Brave Hearted Boy. A friend has furnished us with the particulars of a thrilling incident that happened in this county. On Sunday, the 6th of this month, two of the sons of John Hammond, who lives about nine miles southwest of Greensborough, were playing about a shaft sunk for mining purposes, when the youngest, about six years old, lost his balance, and pitched head-foremost into the shaft 40 feet deep. His brother, twelve years old, immediately let down the bucket, descended by the rope and timbers, gathered up his brother, who had his leg broke by the fall, put him in the bucket, ascended the rope, drew up his brother, and carried him on his back home, something near a quarter of a mile, before he even called for help. The little sufferer is doing well. [Greensborough Patriot.

A memorial is in circulation among the believers in the spiritual rappings, praying Congress to appoint a Scientific Commission to which this subject shall be referred, and for such an appropriation as shall enable the commissioners to prosecute their inquiries to a successful termination.

The workmen engaged in digging a well for the new India Rubber factory, at the foot of Maple street, Northampton, a few days since, came upon the trunk of a large tree about 25 feet below the surface of the earth. So great was the obstruction presented, that it was deemed easier to sink the well in a new place, than to remove it.

Mr. Choate, in his argument in the Dompster case, spoke of that as his last official duty as Attorney General of the Commonwealth, from which intimation it is supposed he is about to resign that office. It is thought by some that Mr. Clifford will again assume the duties of that station.

On Saturday, young Chapman, who is charged with the murder of Mr. Cozzens, at Sherborn, last fall, was removed from Concord to East Cambridge jail, preparatory to his trial, which is soon to take place at East Cambridge.

An Irishman called on a cabman and told him that he wished he would take a cab and carry his wife in a coach down to the steamboat, so that she could take a ride in the cars on board a stage.

Jefferson Bancroft, Esq., of Lowell, the newly appointed warden of the State Prison at Charlestown, entered upon the discharge of his duties last Monday.

We learn that Clough, whose execution has been ordered by Gov. Clifford, on Friday, the 28th of April next, will be hung in the jail yard at Taunton, by the Sheriff of Bristol County.

Mr. George W. Peabody, of London, has offered a donation of $200 while he lives, as rewards of merit to the children of the public schools of Danvers.

A boy named Warren Dunn, about thirteen years of age, the only child of widow Dunn of Quincy, was killed on Friday afternoon, in Cambridge street, by an omnibus falling upon him.

As Mr. Erastus H. Braden, of Charlestown, was engaged in shoveling snow off the roof of a building, the body of snow suddenly started and fell, taking Mr. Braden with it, over the eaves, a distance of some 25 feet, to the ground. Luckily he sustained no injury by the fall.

There are eighty-three newspapers published in Michigan; the aggregate circulation of these is over 5,300,000.

Mead, the Cincinnati banker, on Christmas day, caused 500 dimes to be distributed among the poor boys in the street.

Lucas, who placed obstructions on the Middletown railroad, has been sent to the Connecticut State Prison for six years.

The Chinese insurgents punish smokers of opium by beheading, and those who use tobacco by the bamboo.

We learn from the Fitchburg Sentinel, that during the late snow storm, a flock of robins, some fifty in number, made their appearance, and passed the day in the south part of the town. A much larger flock was also observed on the same day in the neighborhood of Princeton.

On Friday a bank of earth fell upon the White Mountain Railroad at Bath, N. H., stopping the running of the cars for that day. Passengers had to proceed to Littleton in sleighs.

A paper tells of a market woman who, last fall, was holding some pumpkins in her apron, when a fresh caught cockney came along, and commenced poking them with his rattan, exclaiming:

"I 'ope you don't call them large happels; they ain't 'aif as large as we 'ave in Hold Hengland."

"Apples! them ain't apples, them is only blackberries," replied the woman.

WOBURN RECORDS.

MARRIAGES CONTINUED.

David Eames and Deborah Holt, both of Woburn, July 24.
James Thompson, jr and Esther Reed, both of Woburn, Sept. 29.
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Thomas Dean, jr of Woburn and Isabel Johnson of Bedford, April 24.
Daze Skilton of Woburn and Ruth Hartwell of Bedford, June 19.
Benjamin Button of Harwich and Susannah Richardson of Woburn, Aug 23.
Benjamin Tay and Sybil Marion, both of Woburn, Sept 17.
Joseph Laken of Groton and Jerusha Simonds of Woburn, Oct 23.
Samuel Johnson, jr and Rebekah Lonella, both of Woburn, Nov 8.
John Bruce, jr and Sarah Johnson, both of Woburn, Nov 29.
Benjamin Gloyd and Patience Dean, both of Woburn, Dec 27.
Samuel Thompson of Woburn and Lydia Jones of Concord, Feb 26.

1771.

Nathaniel Evans of Reading and Mary Hayden of Woburn, March 12.
Edmund Richardson and Mary Leathe, both of Woburn, March 19.
Daniel Green Brown of Stoneham and Rebekah Smith of Woburn, May 2.
Samuel Symmes and Susannah Richardson, both of Woburn, June 4.
Francis Johnson, jr and Abigail Brooks, both of Woburn, June 27.
William Tay, 3d of Woburn and Hannah Pollard of Billrica, July 26.
Josiah Johnson, Esq. and Susannah Brooks, both of Woburn, Aug 5.
Jonas Brooks and Joanna Cummings, both of Woburn, Nov 19.
Samuel Winn and Mehitable Bruce, both of Woburn, Dec 12.
Joseph Whittemore of Malden and Ruhannah Holding of Woburn, Sept 10.
Jonas Wyman and Elizabeth Gleason, both of Woburn, Dec. 19.

1772.

Nathaniel Watts and Patience Wright, both of Woburn, April 21.
Ebenezer Wade and Elizabeth Lathe, both of Woburn, May 26.
Joseph Trask of Woburn and Hannah Simonds of Bedford, June 10.
Loammi Baldwin and Mary Fowle, both of Woburn, July 9.
Jesse Wright and Lydia Parker, both of Woburn, Aug 4.
Benjamin Converse and Sarah Wright, both of Woburn, Aug 6.
William Fox and Mary Wright, both of Woburn, Sept 24.
Dr. Samuel Blogget and Jane Gillam, both of Woburn, Oct 2.
Josiah Brown of Stoneham and Judith Richardson of Woburn, Oct 8.
Isaac Warren, jr of Medford and Abigail Brooks of Woburn, Oct. 29.
Jethro Richardson of Reading and Hannah Richardson of Woburn, Nov 19.
Benjamin Gleason and Deborah Beard, both of Woburn, Feb 4.
Benjamin Nutting of Woburn and Lucy Wyman of Wilmington, June 30.
Nathaniel Wyman of Woburn and Catharine Tufts of Medford, July 2.
Amos Bloggett and Ruth Cutler, both of Woburn, Oct 7.
Jacob Winn and Molly Twist, both of Woburn, Oct 27.
Abel Wyman of Woburn and Ruth Putnam.

1773.

Reuben Reed and Elizabeth Barron, both of Woburn, Feb 2.
Josiah Wright of Woburn and Lydia Buckman of Cambridge, Feb. 2.
James Atwood and Phebe Richardson, both of Woburn, Feb 10.
Asahel Simonds and Mary Tidd, both of Woburn, March 9.
Jonathan Jaquith of Wilmington and Lydia Johnson of Woburn, Jan 14.
Samuel Wyman, jr and Catharine Fowle, both of Woburn, April 22.
James Bruce and Joanna Cowley, both of Woburn, April 28.
Jabez Thompson and Kezia Wyman, both of Woburn, May 11.
Thomas Wyman of Woburn and Elizabeth Reed of Wilmington, May 25.
Nathan Richardson, jr and Lydia Whittemore June 25.
Isaiah Dixon of Cambridge and Judith Symmes of Woburn, Nov 16.
Josiah Hall of Cambridge and Elizabeth Cummings of Woburn, Aug 31.
Thomas Gleason and Abigail Johnson, both of Woburn, Nov 11.
Joseph Kimball and Susanna Johnson, both of Woburn, Nov 25.

1774.

John Richardson and Mary Thornton, both of Woburn, May 24.
Thomas Prentise of Cambridge and Ruth Symmes of Woburn, July 20.
Josiah Parker of Woburn and Hannah Gardner of Charlestown, July 21.
Benjamin Fowle and Mary Bruce, both of Woburn, Sept. 4.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, JAN. 21, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co

Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.

Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.

Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

ANNE.—We neglected to notice this pretty piece of poetry to our carrier, in the last Journal; it has almost turned his head, and he wishes for a lot of January every month. Try again, Anne.

SUSAN.—We shall not interfere with you and "Jotham." If he sends an answer we shall publish it, if we like it. You are not displeased at early calls, and, we suppose, are always "at home." We remember the answer of the servant to an early call—"Mistress says she is not at home;" so the gent left his card.

R.—Your items are very acceptable. We shall reserve a space for "Winchester items."

A CONVERT.—We received your article at a late hour. We will read it, and if approved, will find room next week. "Spirit Manifestations" are not favorable with us, but well written articles may be acceptable, especially from Winchester.

EDITORIAL.

TREE SOCIETY.

Perhaps some of our readers will say that we are rather too early in our remarks about Tree Societies. That we have yet a long part of the winter to come before anything can be done with trees. But we think this is just the time to talk about it, and to prepare the preliminaries, so as to be ready early when the season arrives for setting out ornamental trees. On such subjects as public improvements, it takes us much time to mature matters right, and especially when we have to dig into the pockets of individuals who are backward in interesting themselves where no per centage is likely to return in dollars and cents. Therefore it is not too early to stir up the ambition and enterprise of our citizens for the improvement and ornament of our town, by setting out trees.

We have a "Tree Society," and a committee chosen to procure trees and set them out as wanted. They commenced in earnest, and in certain parts of the town set out many trees, that are beginning to show what we have always urged, that one of the great and lasting attractions to a city or town is the beautiful foliage of ornamental trees, through the public streets, and even in winter the leafless limbs are evidence of the enterprising character of the people.

There cannot be but one opinion on this subject, as we must all acknowledge these improvements add largely to the beauty of every town, and comfort to its citizens. And it is a very easy matter to succeed, if the plans are right in the beginning. We are not advised as to the present situation of the "Tree Society," or the causes of its decline, but we are sure a Society can be formed, which will take hold of this matter and carry it on with success. It only wants energy and perseverance in the right way. Tree Societies in other towns succeed, why not with us. We must not let the subject be lost sight of, and we hope the matter will be started, and a Society formed, who will set out trees in such a manner that they will live. We hope to hear from some parties who will take it in hand and be prepared for work in the spring.

This is also a good time to arrange for that "Lyceum Hall,"—it is sure to be built.

☞ Applications for new Banks and for increased capital are daily presented to the Legislature, as also for new railroads. The whigs now have a fair chance to carry out all their professions of reform and improvements. If they don't do it the *people* will remember it. The resolve on Imprisonment for Debt, offered by Mr. Jencks of Boston, which passed the house last Wednesday, is some indication of a true spirit for reforming old and barbarous laws, which have so long disgraced the statute books of Massachusetts.

☞ Many of our political exchanges are making war on the administration for their appointments, and especially those in the Custom House. We did not assist in placing the present incumbent in the White House, and of course cannot be accused of partiality in remarking, that we have some knowledge of the business at the Boston Custom House, and are personally acquainted with many of the officers in that department, and, so far as our personal intercourse has been, we do not think our merchants generally have any cause to complain, nor do we think any party could make a more honest selection. There are many *outs* who would be glad to get *in*, and because they can't it is natural to hear complaints. We don't believe there is a Custom House in the Union better managed than the Custom House in Boston,—this we say from experience.

☞ The attention of those interested is called to the advertisement of Libby & Brother. They have a large assortment of desirable goods at fair prices, courteous clerks, who will always find time to serve their country customers.

☞ The funeral of the late Hon. Thos. H. Perkins, last Saturday, in Boston, was one of the largest we have ever seen. Many of the stores were closed, and the shipping displayed their flags at half mast,—a merited respect to the memory of an honest man! Pity they are so scarce.

☞ A thief stole a coat, worth $30, from the office of the Boston Post, last week. Only think of an editor's coat being worth thirty dollars. Perhaps the fellow was looking for that copy of the "President's Message," and thought it might be in the pocket. Who knows?

☞ The new Mayor of Boston, Dr. Smith, was sworn into office last Monday. His address is an excellent one, and if he is as prompt in his movements as he advises others to be, Boston will wear a different aspect in many of its degrading scenes. We give Mayor Smith's advice in executing the laws,—it is firm and to the point.

"Among other grave circumstances belonging to our new relations, we have individually sworn allegiance to this Commonwealth. If any of its laws are oppressive or contrary to the exercise of the inherent rights and privileges of the sovereign people, let them go at once to the Legislature, in the majesty of their strength, and demand a repeal. We have nothing to say or do respecting the constitutionality or the unconstitutionality of any enactments of the General Court. It is our unquestionable duty to have them respected and executed.

In this, however, we are to proceed with extreme caution, even when no clouds of doubt surround the subject, and never, under any pressure or contingencies, unadvisedly. When one law is disregarded, another may be set aside, upon the same principle, with equal impunity. Thus the bands of civil society would be sundered, and reputation, property, and even life, be at the mercy of incendiaries, thieves, robbers and murderers."

☞ We find little interest in the proceedings of Congress. Members mix up politics in almost every measure proposed. A bill has been reported in the Senate by Mr. Hamblin of Maine, granting $5,000,000 to pay the French Claims. For the honor of our country we hope it will become a law.

☞ The Ice business is in successful operation at Horn Pond. About 100 men are at work cutting and storing ice, which is in fine order, about 12 inches thick.

☞ We are indebted to the Hon. Charles Sumner for a copy of Gerritt Smith's speech in Congress, on the reference of the President's Message, and Mr. Giddings' speech on the Armistead claim.

☞ An attempt was made on Thursday night last to kidnap Gen. Asa Howland, of Conway, at the Mansion House in Northampton. Gen. H. was engaged in trying A. E. Reed, of Northampton, for violation of the liquor law. About 12 o'clock at night his room was broken into by men in disguise and his mouth closed by their hands. He was then taken from his bed to the hall, where he succeeded in freeing his mouth and crying murder. Assistance coming, the men fled. Five hundred dollars reward is offered by the selectmen, and $100 by Mr. Field, of the Mansion House, for the detection of the perpetrators.

☞ The Hartford Life Insurance Co. are prepared to issue Policies. We have taken the Agency, and shall be pleased to receive applications at the Journal office.

☞ The Hoosac Tunnel is again before the Legislature, and we hope this time it will be bored,—but we suppose there is a certain amount of hammering to be done first.

☞ Messrs. Lappen & Co. have an extensive assortment of Wooden Ware, and we refer our readers to their advertisement.

☞ On Saturday last two live pigs were entered at the Custom House, imported from London, valued at $18 sterling each, or about $90 our money.

☞ An "Old Folks" Concert was given a few evenings since in Hartford, Conn. Col. Samuel Green, formerly of New London, who is 87 years old, and Deacon Normand Smith, who is upwards of 80, sang in the choir, and highly enjoyed the opportunity of singing the old tunes once more.

☞ We have received from Mr. W. White, printer to the State, Governor Washburn's Address.

☞ A couple were married by the jailor in the Boston jail, last Thursday. Love laughs at locks and iron bars.

The thaw of last week has caused quite a rise in the streams of Connecticut. The track of the New Haven road, in or near New Haven, has been submerged and washed, causing considerable delay in the trains. The temporary bridge over the Naugatuc, at Seymour, has been washed away.

We understand that the land and extensive wharf property near the State Prison, on both sides of the Fitchburg railroad, above Prison Point bridge, amounting to 91,400 feet have been sold to the Eastern Railroad Co. at $1 25 per foot.

A man, 72 years of age, named Windsor, convicted nearly four years ago of the murder of his wife, in Sussex county, Delaware, and sentenced to be executed, is still imprisoned in the jail at Georgetown, having been respited by the Governor four times.

The whole number of cases tried before the Salem Police Court last year, was 1165, of which 686 were for drunkenness, and probably nine-tenths of the remainder were caused by rum. The deaths last year were 408, which is 50 less than the year previous.

The Ionian Islands are reported to be in a deplorable condition, in consequence of the failure of the current crop for two successive years.

The scarlet fever is prevalent in Windham county, Vt.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Written for the Journal.

MR. EDITOR,—I should like to know what in the name of humanity that busy body means, by telling everything which may happen, when he has the privilege of making an early call. It was fortunate for him that I was not one of those cousins, his call would not have terminated quite so much to his satisfaction. A very pretty piece of impudence to be sure, for a gentleman to invade an upper drawing-room at so early an hour, and then attempt to tell what happened, and then tell about his "tete-a-tete," and what he said about Washington street in wet weather. I wonder what takes *him* in that street so much, —he must want to show his "nice rattan" and whiskered face. He need not tell what we girls do,—as though he and the other "lords of creation" were all perfection.

I am sure I for one have no objections against those early calls; they are pleasant at all times to me. But, then, I have a preference, and I dare say "Jotham's" cousins may also have theirs. But how provoking for him to say that he discovered a *twisted smile*. I don't believe a word of it, and I hope this busy man will never make *me* a call; if he does, and I find him out, he shan't go up to our "upper drawing-room," not he. Do you suppose I would permit ——; but then, after all, it depends much on who he is. But at any rate I am sure I should be very angry, if I should be placed as "Jotham's" cousins were. But I cannot tell what I would do without a fair trial. Don't let him answer this.

SUSAN.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

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MR. EDITOR:—I think the weekly publications of births, deaths and marriages, in your paper, adds greatly to its interest, especially those being published now; for many of the names are familiar to us of the present generation, and bring to our recollection scenes and trials through which our ancestors passed in securing us the many privileges which we enjoy. I think we cannot keep too fresh in the memory the privations and hardships of those who have gone before us, and whose untarnished names are the best evidence of their frugal and upright lives. By the recent publication of the early colonial history of Massachusetts, a large addition has been made to the historical literature of New England, which should be studied with care by all who reverence the good of the past and wish to cultivate and improve the future.

We are gratified to learn that the new bank in your town is in successful operation. It must be an institution of great benefit to all classes, as I trust it will prove one of profit to the stockholders. Banking business, when honestly conducted, is one of the principal elements of trade and commerce; but banks have so multiplied within a few years that the people seem to distrust them, from the fact that they have often been the victims of their corruptions; but the bill and stockholders of the Woburn Bank need have no fears while its affairs are controlled by men of such large means, known integrity and full experience, as all the officers of this institution possess. The banking rooms are conveniently and pleasantly situated, and under the gentlemanly management of the Cashier, cannot fail to draw a large share of the business of the surrounding towns; in fact, rumor says that double the capital of this bank could be profitably employed, although its golden lungs have but just been infused with the breath of existence.

The Lyceum Lecture in this place last week was delivered by O. W. Holmes, Esq. Subject,—"The Audience." This lecture was a reproduction, which the author has delivered several times before this season, and which was reported at length some two weeks ago in the New York Tribune. Mr. Holmes is a very popular lecturer, and never fails to amuse his hearers with an abundance of wit, mirth and poetry. His humor is inexhaustible and devours everything; from

"A roasting pullet to a baking egg;"

While the lover of poetry can find in his verse a

"Sentiment for each lovely muse."

Dr. Youngman, the agent for your paper here, (who, by the way, is a capital fellow, a good physician, a safe apothecary, prompt librarian, agent for the sale of spirituous liquors and town clerk,) is doing a thriving business in the sale of all sorts of compounds for the cure of such ills as the flesh is heir to. While his counters are loaded with the many papers and periodicals which the taste of modern society demands, and his show-cases abound with a choice collection of souvenirs, gift books, toys and emblems of love and friendship sufficient to satisfy all longings.

Probably many of your readers have noticed a new work, just issued by B. B. Mussey & Co., from the prolific pen of F. A. Durivage, Esq., of this town, entitled, "Life Scenes sketched in light and shadow from the world around us." Mr. Durivage is already extensively known as one of the most agreeable and graceful writers in New England, and the above work will do much to increase his brilliant reputation.

More anon, R.

THIEVES IN THE SUBURBS.—The suburbs abound in thieves. In Waltham, Newton, Lexington and other places even the poultry yards are rifled. To the crime of stealing is thus added that of meanness. The rascals should be made to suffer severely.

Three barns were burnt in East Douglass, on Saturday, belonging severally to Messrs. Jones, Keith and Heath.

Accounts from Michigan represent that the liquor law is working admirably, in the suppression of grog-shops and tippling-houses.

FURTHER PARTICULARS of the Wreck of the San Francisco.

☞ The steamer San Francisco was fallen in with by three vessels, who took from her about 500 passengers, who were in great distress, having lost everything, and many of them nearly naked. About 200 passengers were lost. She went down in about two hours after the passengers were taken off. The conduct of the captain is spoken of in the highest terms of praise. The passengers taken off have in part arrived at New York, completely destitute.

This adds another to the long list of terrible disasters by the late storm. None but those who have been upon the ocean, can know the frightful scene of a storm at sea.

We select a few particulars from the long list of distressing scenes in this terrible shipwreck.

F. W. Southworth, who was also a passenger on the San Francisco, in a letter gives the fullest account of this scene which we have yet met with, and supplies the melancholy particulars of the circumstances attending the loss of Mr. James C. Stockwell. He says:

"At about 8 o'clock a might swell, such as can only be formed by old ocean when lashed by such a tempest, struck our vessel amidships, completely submerging the wheelhouse, and washing them, with all their inmates, within an instant, at least half a mile distant, into the foaming sea. Myself and Mr. Rankin were among the number who were washed away, and the only two of this entire company who were successful in regaining the ship. All the rest sunk into the jaws of death, and were rocked into an eternal sleep by the roaring, swelling sea.

As I can only describe the awful situation of these mortals by my own experience, I hope I will be excused for alluding to myself. I well remember I was lying in my state-room, on the after deck, with a traveling companion, Mr. James C Stockwell, when there came a shock and sudden crash of breaking timber, and I felt myself rolling like a top in the water, with salt brine rushing into my mouth and almost blinding me.

When I rose to the surface of the ocean a harrowing sight was before me. I was half a mile from the steamer, and around me was about an acre of floating timber. Immediately by my side came up from the deep Mr. Stockwell, who caught hold of the same stick of timber to which I had clung for safety. The stick began to sink, and I caught hold of another piece, and made the best of my way to the wrecked steamer. Two or three huge swells soon tossed me near the ship, and I grasped a rope forward of the wheelhouse, to which I clung, rising and falling with the pitching vessel.

While in this situation I saw a man standing on the paddle of the wheel who was plunged into the ocean at every roll of the steamer, and who probably perished. Losing my strength, I dropped from the rope to which I clung, and fortunately a friendly wave threw me against the guard of the vessel, which I seized hold of, and the next plunge carrying me still higher on the guard, I was enabled at last to crawl upon the forward deck, and there with my hand broke open a state-room window and crept into it half drowned. While in the water the sight around me was worse than death itself.

When I rose to the surface of the water, I saw about forty struggling for life, and about one half of them had blood streaming from wounds about the heads. Being blinded by what I thought was the salt water, I put my hand to my forehead to wipe away the brine, when I was surprised to find that I was bleeding myself, from a wound on my brow. It is therefore conclusive that most of those washed away were at the same time wounded by the crashing timbers. Beside myself, Mr. Rankin was the only one saved of those who were swept into the ocean.

Such was the force of the waves that they broke in a part of the deck, and killed and injured several, besides deluging the passengers in the lower cabins, and filling the saloons with water. Captain Gardiner slept on deck, and was not swept away with the others, but at one time found a man by his side, with a splinter thrust through his head, which must have killed him instantly."

Col. Gates's wife makes a statement, in which she gives the particulars in regard to the loss of Major Taylor and his wife. They were last seen with life-preservers around them, and hand in hand. He sank first, but she was seen buffeting the waves for five minutes. They were seen to jump overboard together.

Lieut. Winder in his account of the loss of the San Francisco, mentions this incident, after nearly all the passengers had been taken off:—"Corporal Smith came to me and said his child was sick, and in about an hour after that he sent word to me and said he was very sick himself and would like to see me. I went to him and found that he was about dying; soon after his wife came in and told me that he and the child were dead. I had her put into a state-room, and during the night she was found dead in bed, her only child, then living, lying asleep beside her. She was followed to the other world soon after, by her other child."

WHISKERS! These appendages to the face are by many considered to be points of manly beauty. Now when they are neglected, they are just the opposite. To give them a rich glossy appearance, promote their regular growth, and to prevent them turning gray, nothing is so certainly beneficial as Spalding's Castor Oil and Rosemary Wash. Sold at this office.

The value of the articles which passed over the Erie Canal in 1853, is estimated at $39,626,362—being $5,243,443 more than the value of the freights in 1852.

WEEKLY SUMMARY.

In the case of James Nugent, arrested at New York for setting fire to Metropolitan Hall, the charge was not proven.

The new and splendid engine-house which is being erected in South Reading, for the Yale Engine Company, is very nearly completed.

It is proposed to build a monument in Milwaukie to Emanuel Denon, the boy who was whipped to death by his brutal father because he would not tell a lie, to remove suspicion which rested on his unfeeling step-mother.

Mr. Daniel Nayson committed suicide by hanging himself in Epping, N. H., yesterday morning. Mr. Nayson was a woolen manufacturer, about 65 years of age, formerly of Amesbury, Mass He has been partially insane for some years.

Fifty-four deaths by cholera occurred on board the Continent, which arrived at New York on Saturday, after a passage of forty-two days from Liverpool, starting with 492 passengers.

Adeline Phelps, who was tried at Greenfield a few days ago for the murder of her father, and was acquitted by reason of insanity, has been committed to the Asylum in Worcester.

The Charitable Mechanic Association have taken hold of the project to erect a Franklin Monument, in a manner that warrants its success.

The completion of the last link in the great Central line of communication between the Atlantic Ocean and the Mississippi River, has been celebrated with appropriate ceremonies at Detroit. It was said to have been an interesting event.

We learn that a movement is about to be made by the people in the Old Colony and Cape Cod relative to a ship Canal which shall connect Cape Cod and Buzzard's Bay.

Jenny Lind's baby, in which all creation takes an interest, begins to manifest signs of musical capacity. So says the Musical World.

Publications Received.

Horticulturist for January.—This valuable agricultural monthly comes very regular. It is, as usual, filled with a variety of articles on the cultivation of the field and the garden, which every farmer should have.—Fowle has it

Ladies' Wreath and Parlor Journal, for January, has a fine interior view of the Crystal Palace, in New York, with a variety of attractive reading. Published by Burdick, Reed & Co., Nassau street, New York.

Montgomery's Pictorial.—We have the first number, from which we judge it will have its share of patronage. The pictorials are good.

Parlor Magazine, for January—The commencement of a new volume. This number is a decided improvement, and the editor deserves the full support of the West. It is worthy a place on the family centre table. —by Jethro Jackson, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Christian Parlor Magazine, for January.—The steel plate of the Spanish Mother in this number is a perfect gem—for expression and beauty we have never seen its superior.—The reading is full of good thoughts and worthy of perusal.—By J. H. Pratt & Co., Nassau staeet, New York

Estelles Stories about Dogs.—A neat little volume for good boys and girls. The author is a lady of Woburn—need we say more to induce our readers to get it for their children The stories are calculated to create a good feeling in children for man's truest friend. The story of the Alpine Spaniel of St. Bernard should be read by every child in Woburn. Familiar stories on subjects calculated to instil in the young mind good and lasting impressions, should be the family evenings amusement for children. The volume can be had at Fowle's.

Home Scenes and Home Sounds,—We have received from Messrs. Fetridge & Co. this handsomely bound and neat printed volume. We have read it and find much to approve —and many articles which we wish Miss Stephens had not written. The common b'hoy slang of the day is unfit for the pen of female writers, and we are much surprised that gifted minds should indulge in it. The "Legend of Wyoming" is worthy of Mrs. Stephens gifted mind. We read it with much interest, because we have visited that romantic valley and passed hours on the winding banks of the noble Susquehanna. There are other gems in the wrong company. The book will please the thousand readers who are attracted by light reading, and will no doubt meet a rapid sale—this, we suppose, is the desirable object —Fowle has it.

Gleason's Pictorial is more popular than ever. The engravings of the new volume are of superior order.

DEATHS.

"And what's a life? the flourishing array
Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

In this town, Jan. 13, Mr. Samuel White, aged 84 years, formerly of Boston.

In this town, Jan 13, Margaret H., daughter of Daniel and Harriet Dearborn, aged 8 months and 5 days.

Jan. 18, Mr. John Matthews, aged 20 years.

Special Notices.

WOBURN BANK.

A special meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking-rooms, in Woburn, on Friday, February 3d, at 6½ o'clock P. M., to consider the expediency of petitioning the Legislature for leave to increase the capital stock.

C. J. JENKS, Cashier.

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1854. 3t

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office. To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store jan21tf

FURNITURE —AT— AUCTION.

THE Subscriber will sell at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the 25th day of January, 1854, at one o'clock P. M., at his dwelling house on First street, the following articles of Household Furniture, viz:—Sofa, stuffed rocking chair, 4 do. chairs, 6 cane do., cane rocking chair, card-table, 4 ft. cherry do., work do., teapoy, pine table, 3 looking glasses, clock, 2 sinks, bureau, bedstead, tapestry carpet, stair do., rug, crockery and glass ware, curtains and fixtures, cooking stove, parlor do, with a variety of other articles too numerous to particularize. Terms Cash, on the delivery of the articles.

☞ If the weather should be stormy, the sale will take place on the first fair day.

PARKER EATON.

WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.

Woburn, January 18, 1854. 1t

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T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

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STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.

jan 14 3t

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Caleb French, an insolvent debtor, are requested to make payment to Tho's J. Porter, immediately, and all persons having mutual and unsettled accounts, are requested to present them for adjustment, to the subscriber.

THO'S J. PORTER, Assignee.

Woburn, January 9th, 1854. 4t

NOTICE.

THE firm of Otis & Bailey is this day dissolved. All affairs of the firm will be settled by G. H. OTIS.

Woburn, Jan. 1, 1854. 1t

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a clsss in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. A. BOUTELLE.

Woburn, Dec 28, 1853.

CLOTHING.

THE subscriber will keep constantly on hand and for sale a general assortment of Ready-made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, cheap for Cash.

Please call at WM. A. MILES'.

dec31 4w.

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.

dec31 3w

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A small house, situated on Court street, containing six rooms, wood-shed, and shoe maker's shop; in every way convenient for a small family. Will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms, if applied for soon. Enquire of N BODWEL, on the premises. dec24tf

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

OR NO CHARGE. The best Dye in the market, for sale by the subscriber, and applied on his premises, to ladies and gentlemen, so as to give perfect satisfaction, or no charge will be made,—at the Comb and Perfumery Store of A. S. JORDAN, 191 Washington st., six doors North of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

HARRIS JOHNSON.

LICENCED AUCTIONEER.

WOBURN, Mass

Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms. jan 31

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Ch—ate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, } Commissioners.
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }

Woburn, Jan 12, 1854. tf

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator to the estate of Mary Clinton, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, single woman, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to JAMES TWEED, Adm'r.

Woburn, Dec. 24th, 1853. 3t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Betire P. Kimbal, late of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, housewright, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to SAMUEL S. RICHARDSON, Adm.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Warner C. Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, trader, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.—All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to BOWEN BUCKMAN, Adm.

Woburn, November 8th, 1853.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor to the last will and testament of Barth'w Richardson, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to

BARTHOLOMEW RICHARDSON, Ex'r.

Woburn, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by

Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for sale at
sept 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by
A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E. E. Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at
W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Buckings, Mats &c., for sale low at W. WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.—Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by
L. THOMPSON, Jr.

OYSTERS

AT 20 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.
N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.
☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.
A. F. UNION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states. For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Book store. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

DR. SCALES,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
Co31. 3w

METROPOLITAN
FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, No. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,	Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,	I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,	Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,	Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,	Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,	Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,	E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, President.

E. W. THAYER, Secretary.

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.
G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.

Have now opened their entire importation of

6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.

Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.

We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that

A More Full and Desirable Assortment

IS NOT TO BE FOUND.

Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.

We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.

Chandler & Co.

Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.
nov5 tf

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

New Stock of Ladies' Cloths.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received their entire importation of Cloths for

LADIES' CLOAKS AND DRESSES.

Comprising various grades, from medium to the finest qualities manufactured, and in shades of color unsurpassed in beauty

The assortment of the above goods now being complete, purchasers are reminded that the present is the most favorable time to make satisfactory selections.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail,

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov5 tf

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (one of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

Boston Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. Eastman & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.
Jan. 1854 tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by
THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

COCOA, Bone and Ivory handled Knives and Forks, at
sept. 10. WM. WOODBERRY'S

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Farm for Sale in Winchester,

ABOUT one mile from the Depot, consisting of 15 acres of choice land, with a good 2 story house, barn and shed, an aqueduct of spring water that never fails. There is on this land an orchard of about two acres, containing apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, of about 15 years growth, all in bearing. This land is of the border of Winter Pond, and pleasantly situated for building purposes.

For further particulars inquire of GEORGE WYMAN, on the premises, or of GARDNER SYMMES, Main street, Winchester.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853. tf

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO.,
FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.
oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES — LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by

MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

OATS AND POTATOES.

1000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats.
Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by
THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by

JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istl 42 & 44 Federal street

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct. 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all description, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

Now is the Time

TO subscribe for the Phrenological and Water Cure Journals, for 1854. The cheapest and best papers in the United States. 62½ cents per year, each. R. H. HOWARD, Agent, Woburn, Mass.
dec24 4w

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.
may28tf

MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price,...All Representations Warrantee

au 24 1y

HUNTING & EATON,

EATING HOUSE,

No. 27 North Market Street,

Herman Hunting, } BOSTON
Marcus Eaton, }

☞ Hot meals at all hours of the day. ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated

TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., Proprietors
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes. July 9 tf

MONEY IS UP,
DRY GOODS
ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS,
MANTILLAS,
SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

—OF—

Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys

CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS!

RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,

Rich Piece Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW

One Price Cash System,

—AT—

OAK HALL
CLOTHING HOUSE,

NORTH STREET,

oct29 BOSTON. 8t

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.

FOWLE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—

FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and complete assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " "
BROCADE SILKS,
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernard, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained.

Woburn, Oct. 29th, 1853. E. HINCKLEY. tf.

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

ROSE MARY

AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spalding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, Druggist and Apothecary, 23 Tremont Row, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

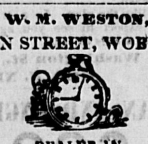
N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.

J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W. Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23isly

W. M. WESTON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN,



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Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to meet their patronage.

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☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE,
MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of Millinery Goods ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, always on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction.

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VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

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In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

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THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of

L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
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Stoves for Sale.

FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

AYER'S PILLS.

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A

FAMILY PHYSIC.

THERE has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical pill, but not easy to make the best of all pills—one which should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These pills produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the complaints which have been speedily cured by them, we may mention Liver Complaint, in its various forms of Jaundice, Indigestion, Languor and Loss of Appetite, Listlessness, Irritability, Bilious Headache, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side and Loins; for, in truth, all these are but the consequence of diseased action in the liver. As an aperient, they afford prompt and sure relief in Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds with soreness of the body, Ulcers and impurity of the blood; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence an occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousand cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to employ when in need of a cathartic medicine.

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For the rapid Cure of

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

THIS remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. And not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, &c.; and for Children it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people its quality is kept up to the best that it ever has been, and that the genuine article is sold by—

E. E. COOPER, Woburn.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

* On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P. M.

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 30 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and bedsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

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Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.

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SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plasters for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER, Druggist.

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my 28 tf JOHN ASH

POETRY.

HOW A FEMALE SHOULD DRESS.

"Duke. I'll have no glittering gew-gaws stuck about you
To stretch the gaping eyes of idiot wonder,
And make men stare—no feathers,
To wave as streamers to your vanity,
Nor cumbrous silk, that, with its rustling sound,
Makes proud the flesh that bears it. She is adorned
Amply, that in her husband's eye looks lovely—
The truest mirror that an honest wife
Can see her beauty in.
Jul. I shall observe, sir.
Duke. I should like to see you in the dress I last presented you.
Jul. The blue one, sir?
Duke. No, love—the white. Thus modestly attired,
A half blown rose stuck in thy braided hair;
With no more diamonds than those eyes are made of,
No deeper rubies than compose thy lips,
Nor pearls more precious than inhabit them,
With the pure red and white which that same hand,
Which blends the rainbow, mingles in thy cheeks;
This well proportioned form (think not I flatter,)
In graceful motion to harmonious sounds,
And thy fair tresses dancing in the wind,
Thou'lt fix as much observance as chaste dames
Can meet without a blush."

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

WASHES FOR THE BARK OF FRUIT TREES.

The Working Farmer, in speaking of the inefficiency of lime wash, objects to it on account of its quick conversion from a caustic state to the state of carbonate, forming a hard crust upon the surface and preventing the perspiration of the bark. Soap is recommended on account of its well-known mildness, and consequent safety of application, at the same time that it preserves its causticity for an indefinite period, assisting in the destruction of insects and their eggs, and softening the bark, as each successive rain washes down a portion. A solution of soda (known as bleacher's soda, No. 1) is strongly recommended, for its power to cleanse, soften and render healthy the bark. For using, a pound is dissolved in a gallon of water. We mention these comparisons in order that our fruit raising readers may be able to give them a fair trial for a comparison of results.

Salt in Winter. Place a box in the shed, in a secure place, where only one sheep can approach it at a time. Fill this with 6 or 8 quarts of salt, and it will be found that the flock will partake of it in such quantities, and at such times as nature directs. When the box is emptied, fill again.

Do sheep need water in winter? They do, most certainly. A Dutchman of my acquaintance once shut up a flock of sheep and fed them on dry hay and corn with no water. Within six weeks several died. A post mortem examination came to the very correct conclusion that they died of thirst. His only excuse was, when interrogated on the subject, that "he *supposed* sheep would live without water!" His supposition was a costly one, and taught him an important lesson. He remembers it to the present time. The fluids of the system must be supplied. Hence, water is highly necessary to the well being of the flock.

Hiving Bees. It is customary among the peasantry of Europe, when their bees swarm, to make a din with tin pans, bells, &c., in the belief that they would thereby be prevented from going off. This practice has been condemned by intelligent bee-keepers as useless. But it seems there is a philosophy in the matter, after all The editor of the Agriculturist says:

"We once caught a stray swarm of bees that were flying through the air. Hearing their well-known noise at a distance, we instantly summoned out the whole household with tin pans, brass kettles, &c., and as they passed, so loud a noise was kept up, that the swarm lost the notes of their queen, and becoming confused, they soon settled in a cluster upon an apple-tree, from whence we removed them to a straw hive, which we chanced to have on hand."

Rancid Butter. A French scientific journal states that the bad smell and taste of butter may be entirely removed, by working it over with water mixed with chloride of lime. The discovery was made by a Brussels farmer whose practice it is to take a sufficient quantity of pure cold water to work it in, and put in it from 25 to 30 drops of chloride of lime for every 10 pounds of butter. When it has been worked until the whole has been brought in contact with water, it should be worked again in pure water, when it will be found to be as sweet as when originally made.

A cow died in Oxford, Maine, and a post mortem examination revealed a darning needle in her heart. She had swallowed it with apple-pairings.

Every farmer should keep just sufficient stock economically to consume the keep his fields produce, and no more.

American Vineyards. There are 1700 acres in the Ohio Valley and 560 acres in the Mississippi valley employed in the grape culture. The total of sparkling wines bottled in 1853 was 324,000 bottles, and of still wines 205,000.

Eighty million dollars are invested in the sugar business of Florida, Louisiana and Texas, the only States where sugar is made from cane. The production is over 200,000 hhds. annually. The importation of foreign sugar amounts to 350,000 hhds.

FUN FOR THE BOYS!

WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your Sleds!—polish the Runners!—brighten your Skates!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

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GENTLEMEN of Woburn and vicinity, who are in want of Clothing, (a good article made to order,) are invited to call and examine my goods. They will always find a large assortment to select from.

The plan which has been adopted at this establishment works well; which is not to charge *cash customers* 25 per cent. to offset bad debts; but those who pay *cash*, have the benefit of cash.

I find many who like the plan. In a word you will be dealt with as if I expect to see you again. Try me once and see if these things be true.

ROOMS, 96 Washington St., Boston.
july30 1y GEO. N. NICHOLS.

AMERICAN AND ENGLISH DRY GOODS!

The subscribers have just received a large stock of house-keeping goods, and staple articles, which they offer for sale at fair and honest prices. Their stock consists in part of

Sheeting and Shirtings,	Hosery all kinds,
White and Colored Cambrics,	Ribbands all varieties,
Towelling, all qualities,	Shawls,
Table Linen,	Pins, Needles, Tapes, &c.
Table Covers,	Broadcloths, Tweeds,
Bed Tickings,	Cassimeres & Doeskins,

Blankets and Counterpanes, Goods for Summer Clothing, with a large variety of small articles for the sewing table and nursery. We are confident of offering to our country customers just such goods as they desire to purchase, and at fair prices, and are pleased at all times to show our goods. LIBBY & BROTHERS,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street.
Boston, apr 23 mos

A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

REMOVAL.

DR. CLOUGH, Surgeon Dentist, has taken rooms in the first building south of Tremont Temple, and nearly opposite the Tremont house, where he will be happy to see his friends and all those who may need the service of a Dentist. jan. 22 tf

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	New York Herald
Traveller.	Tribune.
Journal	Commonwealth
Times.	Rambler.
Herald.	Banner.
Commonwealth.	Museum.
WEEKLY	MAGAZINES;
Traveller	Waverly
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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disordered stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper. I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, DROPSY, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

(Signed) EDWARD ROWLEY.

A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY

DEAR SIR,—I have much pleasure in handing to you a testimonial of the efficacy of your Medicines. A person in this neighbourhood with whom I am well acquainted was afflicted for a long time with violent spasmodic pains in the stomach and liver, arising from frequent colds, smells of paint, and the effects of a stooping position which he was obliged to assume in his buisness. The spasms were of an alarming character, and frequently left him in a weak and debilitated condition. At length he heard of the salutary effects of your invluable Pills, and was induced to give them a trial. The first dose gave him considerable relief, and by following them up in accordance with your directions, they have acted so wonderfully in cleansing the liver and stomach, and strengthening the digestive organs that he has been restored to the enjoyment of good health. I remain, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

(Signed) WM. BOSTOCK.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague,	Fevers of all kinds,	Scrofula, or King's Evil,
Asthma,	Fits,	Sore Throats,
Billous Complaints,	Gout,	Stone & Gravel,
Blotches on the Skin,	Head-ache,	Secondary Symptom
Bowel Complaints,	Indigestion,	Tic Douloreux,
Colics,	Inflamation,	Tumours,
Constipation of the Bowels,	Jaundice,	Ulcers,
Consumption,	Liver Complaint,	Venereal Affections,
Debility,	Lumbago,	Worms of all kinds,
Dropsy,	Piles,	Weakness, from whatever cause,
Dysentery,	Rheumatism,	&c., &c.,
Erysipelas,	Retention of Urine,	
Female Irregularities,		

Sold at the Establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 244 Strand, (near Temple Bar,) London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States, in Pots and Boxes, at 37½ cts. 87 and $1.50 cts., each. There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box.

Wholesale by the principal Drug houses in the Union, and by Messrs. A. B. & D. Sands, New York, by Messrs. Redding & Co., State Street, Boston, Mass.
January 8th, 1853. cowly

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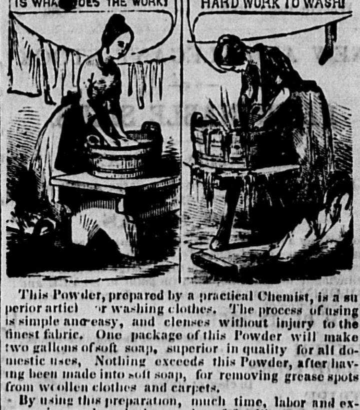
Boston Chemical Washing

POWDER.



This Powder, prepared by a practical Chemist, is a superior article for washing clothes. The process of using is simple and easy, and clenses without injury to the finest fabric. One package of this Powder will make two gallons of soft soap, superior in quality for all domestic uses, Nothing exceeds this Powder, after having been made into soft soap, for removing grease spots from woollen clothes and carpets.

By using this preparation, much time, labor and expense is saved, and thousands of families in New England give it the preference over all other Saponaceous compounds.

Directions on each package of the Powder. Sold wholesale by BECK & CO., No. 120 Washington St., Boston, and by G. W. FOWLE, Woburn
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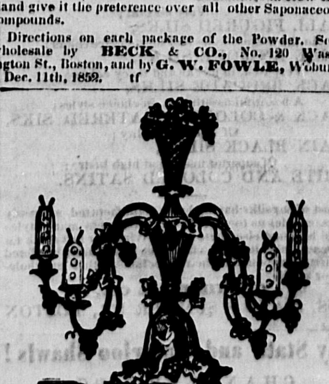

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THE subscriber having had in use for several months a new improvement in their COOKING RANGE, which they have *thoroughly tested*, are prepared to offer them to the trade, and to set them for the use of families, boarding houses, hotels, &c.

They are equally well suited for wood and coal, and are made of six different sizes, adapting them for both large and small establishments. The principal improvements we have made in this Range are, the placing of the oven on either side of the fire at pleasure, rendering it perfectly accessible without being obliged to reach over the fire when baking, and in bringing the boilers in immediate contact with the fire, so that they all boil readily The oven is large and roomy, and the flues are so arranged about it, that we can warrant it to bake with great perfection. Other improvements have been made, rendering it perfectly simple in operation, (there being but one damper,) and one of the most *durable and economical* Ranges ever made.

HOT AIR FIXTURES, for warming additional rooms, are attached when desired; also WATER BACKS and BATH BOILERS, of the most approved construction. The above, with our other approved patterns of Ranges, we are prepared to put up and *warrant to give perfect satisfaction*

Also, FURNACES, or heating houses, and PARLOR GRATES, of the best manufacture and finish, in great variety of patterns; MIRROR MARBLE CHIMNEY PIECES, of beautiful design, with a full assortment of Stoves, Tin and Copper Ware, &c. &c., we offer for sale at our Stove, Range and Furnace Factory, Nos. 28 and 30 Merchants' Row, Boston, at wholesale and retail, at the lowest market prices.

Their Ranges are used by quite a number of families in Woburn; and for a description of their beautiful MIRROR CHIMNEY PIECES, they would refer to the house just erected by Mr. JOHN A. FOWLE, corner of Warren and Summer streets, Academy Hill, Woburn

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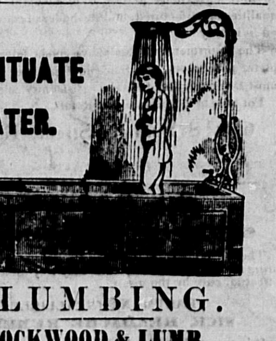

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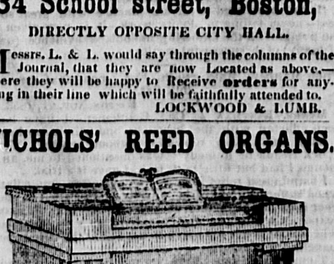

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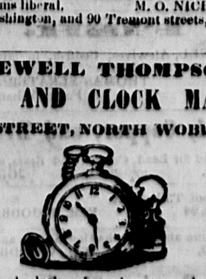

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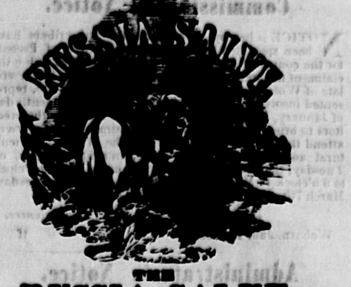

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 First went to school to you:
The by-path we had chosen
 Was choked with drifted snow.
And we crossed the mill pond frozen
 And had not far to go.

The house was low and sunken,
 The school-house in the lane,
The old oak door was shrunken,
 The roof let in the rain;
'Twas there you tried to train us
 To wisdom and to truth,
To guide us and restrain us
 From all the snares of youth.

Oft in our young repinings
 We thought you stern and cold,
Before we knew the comings
 From out your heart of gold:
In darker days I've needed
 Those precepts cast aside,
Those counsels oft unheeded,
 That true and faithful guide.

You used to laugh so often
 At my love for little Jane,
Such love can never soften
 This lonely heart again!
I used to watch at even
 To meet her as she passed;
She seemed a smile from heaven
 Too beautiful to last.

But now the grave is lonely
 Where she so long has lain;
And of all that mourned her, only
 But you and I remain;
An old man waiting meekly
 His time to pass away,
And one that wanders weakly
 And fears to go or stay.

ORIGINAL.

[For the Journal.]

BE GENTLE.

BY THEKLA—THE RECLUSE.

Wouldst thou turn the wanderer's feet from the path of vanity,—be kind and gentle toward him. Wouldst thou know the blessings of the Father of Mercies.—deal gently with erring man. Let not a harsh sentence fall upon the ear of the erring child before you. Who can tell another's wo, or who can know another's grief. Gaze upon the care-worn and furrowed cheek, mark the dim sunken eye, and know that sorrow has dealt heavily with thy fellow man. If thy brother is weak, comfort him with the words of the strong, nor let him sin more.

Be kind. Oh, let not harsh words fall upon the ear of the wanderer's heart, it sends him headlong to the summit of despair.

"Angry words, though lightly spoken,
 In a rash and thoughtless hour;
Brightest links of life are broken,
 By their dark insiduous power."

What has caused thee to turn aside from truth, oh, child of the earth? What has allured thee from virtue and God? Lean then upon me, for I am stronger than thou. I will be thy stay and support, and council thee in all thy ways. Yonder blue heaven, with its myriads of sparkling lights shining down upon this world of ours, has a voice, a sweet voice of love, and gives the mind a foretaste of the enjoyments of angels, as it contemplates these heavenly bodies. All is love. And though we are chastened for our sins by our God, yet it is for our good, and his mercy is displayed in all his dealings with man.

Be gentle, be kind to all. Then shall no tears flow from the eye, no sigh escape the heaving breast, no groans from the deep recesses of the human heart break upon the air, but our little spark of love shall kindle up a fire in the breast of the wanderer, and burn brighter and brighter, until error is swallowed up in righteousness and love.

"Speak kindly, oft my heart has bled
 To hear some rough word idle spoken;
It fell upon that stranger's heart,
 While tears bespoke that heart was broken.

HAZEL GREEN, 1854.

In the year 1854 there will be two Eclipses of the Sun, and two of the Moon.

1st. The Moon will be partially eclipsed on the 12th May, beginning at 10h. 52m. A. M., consequently invisible to us.

2d. There will be an annular eclipse of the Sun on the 26th of May, visible as follows:

Beginning at 4h. 10m.; greatest obscuration 4h. 26m.; and 6h. 34m., P. M.

Eclipse begins 147deg. 52 min. from vertex to the right.

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This will be the largest eclipse visible in the United States until the year 1900, when the Sun will be totally eclipsed, the centre passing near Washington.

3d. A partial Eclipse of the Moon will occur on the 4th of November, at 4h. 11m., P. M., invisible. The Moon will rise with a slight shade on its Northern Limb.

The Sun will be totally eclipsed on the 20th November, the middle occurring at 5h. 14m., A. M., invisible. This eclipse will be central and total in the southern part of Africa, South America and the Southern Ocean.

SELECTED.

WHY HE SOLD THE HORSE.

Mr. Sellum is a horse-jockey; that is, when he is not more profitably employed, he is not ashamed, he says, to "try his fortune in that very respectable calling." He dropped in at Bailey's Bazaar a few weeks since, and very soon after Sellum arrived, a superb looking charger, mounted by a graceful rider, pranced up the court and entered the area, to be sold at public vendue.

"There he is, gents," said the auctioneer, "there he is! a splendid beast! Look at him and judge for yourselvs. There's an ear, a forearm, a nostril, an eye for you! That animal, gentlemen, was knocked down to a gentleman, under the hammer, less than three months ago, for two hundred and eighty dollars. But I am authorized to-day, to sell that horse, let him bring more or less. He's a beauty; fine figure, splendid saddle beast, natural gait fourteen miles to the hour, trots a mile in 2.42, and altogether he's a great horse," which last remark no one could doubt, for he weighed eleven hundred pounds. "How much am I offered for that beautiful horse?" continued the auctioneer. "Move him round the ring, John. That's it; elegant mo——"

There the horse stopped short, and refused to budge another inch, though John buried the rowels in his ribs.

"Give a bid, gentlemen, if you please; that horse must be sold."

"Twenty dollars," was heard from one corner of the room.

"Twenty dollars!" screamed the auctioneer, with a seemingly ironical laugh. "I'm offered the stupendous sum of twenty dollars, gentlemen, for the animal. Are there no sausage-makers in this congregation? I'm offered only twenty dollars! But, gentlemen, as I said before, the horse is to be sold, and I accept the bid."

"Twenty dollars! I'm offered twenty dollars—twenty dollars—twenty—twenty—give me thirty—twenty dollars—twenty. Did I hear thirty? Twenty dollars—Give five?—twenty dollars—Did I hear five?—Twenty—give two and a half?—Twenty dollars—say one?—shall I have twenty-one? Twenty—Can't dwell—if that's the bid, gentlemen, down he must go! Twenty dollars—going! Twenty dollars—only twenty—Who's the fortunate buyer?"

"Sellum, sir—John Sellum," said our friend.

"John Sellum, twenty dollars," said the auctioneer; "you've got a horse *as is* a horse."

And the fortunate John bore his magnificent charger away in triumph.

A few days subsequently, an old aquaintance met John in the cars and inquired about his purchase.

"Got that horse yet, John?"

"No, I sold him."

"So soon; what for?"

"Well, nothin' in particular, but I didn't fancy the critter, all things considered."

"He was sound, was'nt he?"

"Well, reckon he was'nt; that is to say, calculate he wasn't! Showed very good pluck till I got him down into Washington street, after I left the Bazaar, but just opposite the old South he fell slap on the pavement."

"Pshaw! You don't say so?"

"Ya-as. Blind staggers—wust kind! But I didn't mind that, so I took him home, and nust him up a little. Put him fore the gig next day, but he wouldn't start a peg! Coaxed him, drawed him, run a hot wire through his ear, wolluped, and so forth, and finally built a fire under him! All no use, cunning cuss! sot right down on the pile o' shavings and put it out!"

Here his friend smiled.

"That was'nt nothin' though. Went to get inter the gig, and he started 'fore I gathered up the ribbons. Went about three rod for'ard and stopped agin quicker'n lightnin'. Throwed me out over him—kicked himself out 'o the shafts and run a mile before we could catch him. Brought him back and put him into the stall—low stable—got out of his reach and began to whale 'im. Kicked up agin, knocked the floorin' all through overhead, stove his shoes off, broke the halter, and then run back into the stable floor. Trap-door happened to be open, and down went his hind legs, clean to the hips. There I had him foul!"

"I should rather think you did," replied his friend.

"I got a piece o' plank and lammed him about ten minutes, when I'll be hanged if he didn't *git mad!* and kicked himself out o' the hole. Next mornin' found him swelled up as big as a hogshead. Rubbed sperits o' turpentine all over him and the ungrateful rascal kept trying to kick me for it. Give him nothin to eat for *four days*, and the swellin' went down agin. Took him out o' the stable and found him lame *behind*."

"Very likely."

"But, on closer examination, found he was lame *for'ard*, one balanced t'other so he could'nt limp. One eye had been knocked out in the fight, but the headstall kivered up that misfortin'. Brushed him down keerfully and put on the shiny harness. Led him down the street, and met an old gentleman in search of a 'sperited' beast. Asked me if I wanted to sell.

"No, *sir!*" sez I.

"What'll you take for him?" sez he.

"He's high strung," sez I.

"No matter for that," sez he, "I wan't a good 'un."

"Isn't he 'ansome," sez I.

"He is," says he. "What's he worth?"

"I never warrants horses," sez I. "Ef you want him just as he is—you're a judge of horses, no doubt," says I.

"Wal, I am," sez he.

"Very well, then; you may have him for two hundred dollars," sez I.

The old gentleman peeked into his mouth, stroked his neck, looked very knowin', and replied—

"I'll give you a hundred and fifty."

"Split the difference," sez I.

"Done," sez he.

"The hoss is yourn," sez I.

"He give me the money, took the animal, and that's the last I've hearn o' him or that hoss."

"Possible!" exclaimed his friend.

"Ya-as. Under all the circumstances, I tho't it war'nt best to keep the beast, you see, so I let him go."

"Where are you going now?" inquired his friend.

"To York."

"When do you return?"

"*Not at present!*" said Mr. Sellum, slily; and I reckon he did'nt. [St. Louis Reville.

The Honest Boy, or the Sovereign and the Shilling.

Some time ago, the Duke of Buccleugh, in one of his walks, purchased a cow from a person in the neighborhood of Dalkeith, and left orders to send it to his palace the following morning; according to agreement, the cow was sent, and the Duke happened to be in dishabille, and walking in the avenue espied a little fellow ineffectually attempting to drive the animal forward to its destination. The boy not knowing the Duke, bawled out to him:

"Flimum, come here an' gie's this beast."

The Duke saw the mistake, and determined on having a joke with the little fellow; pretending, therefore, not to understand him, the Duke walked on slowly, the boy still craving assistance; at last he cried out in a tone of apparent distress:

"Come here, mun, an' help us, an' as sure as anything, I'll gi'e you half I get?"

This last solicitation had the desired effect. The Duke went and lent a helping hand.

"And now," said the Duke, as they trugged along, "how much do you think ye'll get for this job?"

"Oh, dinna kin," said the boy, "but I'm sure o' something, for the folks up at the house are good to a bodies."

As they approached the house, the Duke parted from the boy, and entered by a different way. He called a servant, and put a sovereign in his hand, saying, "Give that to the boy that has brought the cow." The Duke returned to the avenue, and was soon rejoined by the boy.

"Well, how much did you get?" said the Duke.

"A shilling," said the boy, "an' ther's the half o' it t'ye."

"But you surely you got more than a shilling," said the Duke.

"No," said the boy with the utmost earnestness, "as sure's death, that's a' I got—an' dy'e not think it's a plenty?"

"I do not," said the Duke; "there must be some mistake, and, as I am acquainted with the Duke, if you return I think you'll get more."

The boy consented; back they went; the Duke rang the bell, and ordered all the servants to be assembled.

"Now," said the Duke to the boy, "point me out the person that gave you the shilling."

"It was that chap there with the apron," pointing to the butler.

The delinquent confessed, fell on his knees, and attempted an apology; but the Duke interrupted him, indignantly ordered him to give the boy his sovereign, and quit his service instantly.

"You have lost," said the Duke, "your money, your situation, and your character, by your covetousness; learn, henceforth, that honesty is the best policy."

The boy by this time recognized his assistant in the person of the Duke, and the Duke was so delighted with the sterling worth and honesty of the boy that he ordered him to be sent to school, kept and provided for at his own expense.

During the past year 110 houses with 4000 rooms have been built in Turin, Italy; and all this is attributable to the fact that the new constitution tolerates religious liberty. While every other Italian city is decaying, Turin is growing under the new impulse of Protestanism like a green bay tree. The Waldenses are about opening in that city a Protestant Temple, the first in Italy, upon the very spot where the Dominicans burnt the bodies of the martyrs.

Rev. B. F. Wright, the Springfield clergyman, whose arrest has been noticed, was arraigned before Justice Morton on a charge of "enticing away Miss Gray for the purpose of prostitution." He plead not guilty and the examination was adjourned to Thursday. In default of bail he was committed.

SICILY.

This country, one of the most fertile and lovely on the face of the earth, is groaning under the oppressive rule of the Neapolitan government. The situation of the Sicilians, sad as it was before the revolution of 1848, had been made by misgovernment still more insupportable since that revolution was suppressed. The following extract from a work entitled, "Naples and Sicily in 1850," gives a gloomy picture of the condition of the island:

"Formerly the most fruitful country in Europe, and the granary of Italy, it now does not produce corn enough for its own consumption, but has to import it from Calabria. Over a great part of the country there is no other means of communication than by mules and bridle paths; districts in which large cities flourished are now a silent and desolate wilderness; roads, which formerly existed, have been interrupted—in some places by accidents, such as the carrying away of a bridge by a flood; and no official person has been found inclined to take upon himself so much of public duty as to see to its repair, though the inhabitants, suffering greatly from the loss, would gladly pay for the restoration. As long as there remains a ledge a foot broad, along which a mule may scramble, the means of communication are thought good enough. Between Sciacca and Girgenti, a great part of the way lies through morrasses, sandy dunes, bogs, and rivers which travelers must ford. Scarcely any of the streams furnish a regular and moderate supply of water, their beds being, as in quite wild countries, sometimes dry, and sometimes filled with rushing torrents, which sweep everything before them. Whole districts are becoming sterile, from the gradual disappearance of the trees, which the ignorance of the people induces them to consider unwholesome, and productive of fever. This increasing scarcity of wood is also highly injurious to the sulpher works, which have often to obtain their supplies from Calabria; and when the cargoes arrive, the wood has to be carried on the backs of asses to its place of destination. It is scarcely necessary to say that the few so-called schools are, throughout Naples and Sicily, in the most miserable condition. In one, in which M. Helerich accidentally came upon, the gentleman who officiated as schoolmaster was, at the same time, carrying on his probably more profitable trade of a cobbler, sitting at the door with his boot to be repaired in his hand, while his scholars, a row of little boys of from six to eight years old, were ranged against the wall on the opposite side of the narrow lane. In one article, however, the government is extremely liberal to the Sicilians: immediately after the revolution a cargo of at least 1400 fresh priests was dispatched to the island, many of them among the most stupidly ignorant and depraved of their class. In the magnificent harbor of Syracuse, where thousands of vessels of the largest size could find safe and convenient anchorage, there were found scarcely a dozen little skiffs; the town was swarming with soldiery, and the seamen were begging in the streets. In Messina, the streets burnt down in 1848 remain in precisely the same state; and no hand has been stirred to restore the villages that were laid in ashes. Of Calabria, General Strongholi himself stated, in the Chamber of Peers, that its condition was, in 1849, entirely that of a country relapsing into barbarism. The peasants no longer respected the rights of property; the land could hardly be cultivated for the banditti; whoever possessed any property was exposed to continual plunder—his cattle was driven away, and if he refused to comply with the most outrageous demands, he was sure to see, soon after, his house and farm-buildings in flames."

During the last excavations made at Pompeii several human skeletons, and one of a dog, were discovered, pressed one upon the other. Two gold rings, ornamented with cameos, were found on the fingers of the left hand of one of the skeletons. The remains of an antique villa have been discovered between Acerno and Scafati, on the banks of the Sarno, at a depth of only three or four feet under the level of the earth.

Twenty-eight vessels were wrecked on the Florida Reef during the last year, and twenty-nine arrived in distress. The estimated value of these vessels and their cargoes was $2,082,500, of which only about $330,100 was the loss of underwriters. The amount paid for salvage was $174,350, and for repairing, &c., $155,750.

A train of forty-two cars came down from Columbus over the Columbus and Xenia and Little Miami Railroads on the 5th inst, having on them three thousand seven hundred and sixty-four hogs, weighing in all about one million two hundred thousand pounds. There was no need of a whistle to announce the arrival of that train.

Some one wisely remarks, that "no dust affects the eyes so much as gold dust." We might also add that no glasses affect the eyes more unfavorably than glasses of brandy.

Somebody wants to know if he can compel a blind man to pay a bill at sight, drawn upon him. We do not know, but we think not a few lawyers might be found, who would undertake to show that we could not.

WOBURN RECORDS.

MARRIAGES CONTINUED.

John Skinner and Susanna Fassett, both of Woburn, m Sept 8.

John Burnham and Jerusha Winn, both of Woburn, Sept 27.

John Gilmore and Mary Parker, both of Woburn, Sept 29.

Jonathan Kendall and Joanna Brooks, both of Woburn, Dec. 1.

DEATHS CONTINUED.

1751.

Kendall, Jonathan s Joshua and Esther d Aug 3.
Brook, Nathan, aged 45 years, d Jan 6.
Laurence, John, in his 63d year, d Jan 22.
Dean, John, d Feb —.
Richardson, Dea. Stephen, aged 79 years. d Feb 4.
Proctor, Phebe d Sept 8.
Simonds, Joshua s Joshua, d Dec 27.
Sawyer, Mary wid Joshua, aged 69 years, d Oct 23.
Carter, Susanna w of Thomas, a 57 years, d Aug 12.
Wyman, Esther w Benjamin, a 44 years, d Sept 16.
Wyman, Elizabeth d Benj. and Esther, a 4 d, d Aug 26.

1752.

Richardson, Asa a 39 y, d March 17.
Kendall, Joseph w, d Jan 7.
Buck, John, d Nov 24.
Reed, Eliphaz w, d Sept 19.
Wyman Susanna, wid of Ensign Samuel, a 65 y, d Nov 24.
Wyman, Elizabeth wid, d May 2.
Wood, Josiah w, d March —.
Wood, John, d April 29.
Richardson, Mary, w Lieut Joseph, d March 11.
Thompson, Jonathan of Medford, a 62 y, d June 9.
Boardman, Martha wid of Andrew of Boston, a 54 y, d Aug 25.
Winn, Timothy a 65 y, d Jan 5,
Tufts, Peter s Peter and Anna, a 10 m, d March 19.

1753.

Carter, Thomas a 66 y, d March 17.
Eames, Joshua w, d Jan 6.
Richardson, Eleazer, d April 17.
Fowle, Elizabeth wid, d May 14.
Flegg, Gershorn, jr, d May 14.
Fowle, Ruth wid, d May 20.
Richardson, Elijah s Enoch, d Nov 9.
Pierce, Mary w Josiah, a 36 y, d Nov 11.
Snow, Mary, child of Isaac and Phebe, a 7 y, d Dec 8.
Wood, Josiah, d Jan 4.
Simonds, Benj s Benj, d Dec 24.
Reed, Francis s Samuel, a 2 y 6 m, d Nov 17.
Fowle, Samuel jr, d May 31.
Belknap, Hannah d Wm, died July 31.
Holden, John jr, a 21 y 28 d, d Jan 23.
Peirce, Mary d Josiah jr and Mary, a 2 m 2 d, d Dec 28.
Brooks, Benj s Benj and Susanna, a 3 y, d March 17.
Gardner Henry, a 56 y, d Dec 16.
Holt, Phebe d Lieut John and Sarah, a 3 m 7 d, d Dec 23.

1754.

Jackson, Rev Edward, d Sept 24.
Snow, Zachariah s Timothy and Lydia, a 36 y d Sept 21.
Richardson, Samuel a 85 y, d Sept 3.
Richardson, Lieut Joseph, d Dec 5.
Richardson, Olivar w, d May 31.
Fowle, Wm s Samuel, d Oct 13.
Fowle, Samuel w, d May 31.
Thompson, Hannah a 37 y, d June 16.
Richardson, Susanna w Eleazer, a 39 y, d Oct 7.
Wyma, Jesse a 23 y 6 m, d Nov 2.

1755.

Reed, Capt John, d Dec 31.
Convers, Elizabeth, d Jan 27.
Kendall, Lieut w, d Aug. 31.
Flegg, Gershorn, d Aug 24.
Haywood, Benj s James, d Feb —.
Thompson, Mary wid Ebenezer, a 72 y, d March 11.
Richardson, Eleazer a 35 y, d April 17.
Poole, Jonathan Esq a 63 y, d April 17.
Brooks, Elizabeth d Nathan a Elizabeth, a 10 w, d June 12.
Pierce, Hannah d Josiah and Hannah, a 27 y, d Oct 23.
Thompson, Benjamin a 25 y, d Nov 7.

1756.

Reed, Dea George, a 96 y, d Jan 20.
Walker, Josiah child, d Jan 16.
Henshaw, Ebenezer, d Feb 28.
Brooks, Nathan child, d June 19.
Snow, Richard, d Mar 31.
Holden, John, d Oct —.
Fox, Rev. John, d Dec 12.
Eames, Samuel s Dea, d Dec 12.
Henshaw, Isaac, d Jan 3.
Leoth, Eleanor d Dea John, d Sept 5.
Richardson, Maj Joseph, d Nov 19.
Belknap, Samuel s of Wm, d Aug 22.
Belknap, Josiah s of Wm, d Aug 26.
Holden, Abigail w Ensign John, d April 2[illegible].
Holden, Ensign John, d Oct 18.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, JAN. 28, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H. A. King.—Your improvement is very evident.—"Earth's Mourner," just received, is full of fine original poetry. We shall publish it with pleasure.

Thekla.—You write very good poetry and prose, which are very acceptable. We give your articles room as early as we can.

A. B.—Your sentiments are good, but the manner in which you convey them will never gain you credit by publishing. First learn to spell—then the metre in poetry is indispensable. We should like to encourage you, but you have much to learn before you can appear in public.

Antiquary.—We thank you for your "Revolutionary Record;" it shall be published next week, and we hope you will send us the like often. Woburn sent forth a band of patriots in the Revolution, and their descendants will read these records with vivid interest.

R.—Gives us interesting items from Winchester. The style of writing is quite pleasant and is favorably received.

F. G. H.—Your request will be attended to next week. The lines are deserving notice.

EDITORIAL.

RUM AND MISERY.

We commend, to the attention of our readers, the article signed "A Convert," from Winchester, in to-day's paper. The subject is a home matter and one in which every good citizen of our town is deeply interested, as connected with the good name and character of our town. We have no doubt of its truth,—it came to us in a manner which induces us to believe every word of it.

It is well known that we are strong advocates of the Temperance cause. We do not disguise it. And on all occasions, in every legal and public manner, we shall with all our strength support it. Those parties who bring Rum into our town, and all who traffic in it, will always find us an open enemy. We shall not enforce our opposition by resorting to personal invectives or private abuse. It is the shameful and poisonous traffic that we war against, and if any man joins himself to that detestable trade, he must not complain of sharing the obloquy which belongs to one of the greatest curses which ever was inflicted on the human race. That fatal "Upas tree," which stands in the midst of society, around which its devotees (charmed by its delusive mystic influence of oblivion) dance, with a maniac's despair, until the poison draws them within its deadly grasp, and they sink into a hopeless grave, while those who cultivated that desolating plant, live and fatten on its victims, and roll in wealth and honors, gained from that "Worm of the Still" through whose winding body courses the poison which sustains that fatal tree.

"The horses," says 'A Convert,' "refused to draw the *spirits* which manifested themselves, publicly, in the streets of Winchester." We think they showed more regard for morality than their masters. We do not know what express wagon brought Rum into Woburn,—whoever he was, he engaged in conveying publicly through our streets, Rum, to be dealt out in poisonous draughts to its victims. The medium through which those spirits were transported, from the capital of Massachusetts to Woburn, was an instrument connected with aiding the traffic; and although the law may sustain a public carrier, public opinion may point its strong finger at the secret transportation of barrels, demijohns and jugs.

Our good town, we are happy to know, has not been disgraced with many public manifestations of the reeling of the spirits; but we have often heard hints, that in certain localities Rum could be procured, and on some occasions it had been discovered on its way from Boston to Woburn. It is needless for us to denote Boston as the great Rum depot of New England. The fact is too true to admit of controversy. But we trust the new order of things in that city will take out the stain which stands so prominent on the once moral character of our commercial capital.

Many of our readers may accuse us of using strong language on this subject. We cannot resist these expressions, strong as they are, while we are reviewing the thousand dismal scenes of misery which are daily placed before us, and the heart-rending accounts of deserted homes, murdered wives, houseless widows and children, the ruin of the brightest prospects of life, with the grey hairs of age bending beneath the stroke of broken households going with sorrow to the grave, and the maniac children, the trial, the iron bars of the prison, the last meeting of friends and relatives, and the public exhibition of the gallows. There is no fiction in this. Rum,—three cents worth of rum, is the starting point for all this degradation and misery. The demon stalks through our streets at noon-day, and men sneer and laugh at his reelings,—men of reputation,—men whose examples would make strong impressions on those around them; and, we are reluctant to add, men professing to be Christians, instead of arresting, by action and influence, this Rum traffic, go out into society, and, for the love of gold, erect a barrier against the moral action of public opinion, in arresting this traffic in Rum. They are earnest in their private closets in supplication for deliverence from the evils of the world, and forget it when they are called by such scenes to remove the *cause*.

The poor drunkard's home,—is it not described daily in the Boston police court. We saw something of it while passing through a street in Boston a few days since, by hearing supplicating words from a wife, while resisting the efforts of her husband from tearing off her shoulders her last shawl, to pawn it for a glass of rum. He took it amid the tears of his wife, and the grog-shop tenant had it for a three cent glass of his poison, and the poor wife suffered no doubt on his return.

We wish "A Convert" had given us the marks on the walls of the prisons which contained the "spirits."

☞ There is a general complaint of the high prices of most every article necessary for living,—it is true. And how shall we remedy it. We remember the boast of a house-keeping lady, "that her family lived *very* cheap; they had pies and puddings every day, and the materials did'nt cost anything." Ah! says a listener, pray how is that? I should like to find out the secret of cheap living. Why, says the lady, my husband keeps a grocery store, and we take all these things *out* of the store, and it don't *cost anything*. We never tried it,—it may be true. We don't think our grocery folks are like the miller's hogs. *They* were very fat, but no one knew whose corn they were fed on. How would this experiment do in a wood and coal yard.

☞ The late news from Europe looks warlike. France is collecting a powerful army. England, Austria and Prussia are moving to keep peace if possible. The Emperor of France, who a short time since was a state prisoner in the fortress of Ham, is now becoming the master spirit of Europe, and can call to the field an army of seven hundred thousand men. The changing scenes of life are truly mysterious.

☞ We have received the Southbridge Press, published at Southbridge, Worcesrer County. It is well printed, well edited, and will without doubt be a useful paper. It should receive patronage.

We have also the Arrow, published at Worcester, a spicy and something of a funny paper. It is sharp, and if the *bow-strings* hold, it may "shoot folly as it flies," and receive a "thank you" for a prize.

☞ The Methodist South Conference assembled at Monticello on the 4th inst., and was in session until Monday. Rev. R. H. Howren presided, in the absence of Bishop Paine, who was kept away by a domestic affliction. The session was a very pleasant one, the number of ministers present being larger than on any previous occasion. Upwards of $3000 were reported as collected during the year for missionary purposes, nearly $500 of which was received at the anniversary meeting on Saturday night.

☞ About six o'clock on Saturday evening fire was kindled at the head of the first flight of stairs in Messrs. Bazin & Chandler's printing office, 37 Cornhill, Boston, by cutting open a large bundle of paper and setting fire to the same. Fortunately the flame was soon discovered by a young man who chanced to look through the glass door, and who promptly extinguished it. The fire was set in a place where, had it not been early discovered, no way of escape would have been open for some twenty persons, who were at work in the third and fourth stories of the building.

☞ The contributions in Boston and New York, for testimonials of respect to the captains and crews of the three vessels who so nobly stood by the unfortunate steamer San Francisco, and saved the lives of those who were on board, amounts to a large sum, and is evidence of public opinion, in rewarding those noble actions of our seamen. A true sailor's heart is always warm with generous feeling and true hearted courage.

☞ If any of our readers should not have an Almanac, we recommend them to get one, and for their information we remark, that Winter is more than half gone, and the days are increasing in length. The month of February is a short one, but generally a cold one. How fast Time flies.

☞ New Railroad routes are opening in all parts of our country. New steam packet lines are contemplated to connect us with the Old World. The age is pregnant with progressive improvements. New inventions in machinery is driving off manual labor, and what will become of our working population. Agriculture holds out the golden fields, where man can earn his bread by the sweat of his brow. Societies should be formed in the large cities to aid the hungry millions in reaching the rich agricultural fields of the West.

☞ Mr. Alexander de Bodisco, who, for the past fifteen years or thereabouts has filled the post of Russian envoy at Washington, died at that city on Friday, after an illness of some weeks. He was about seventy years of age. A few years after his arrival in this country he married Miss Williams, of Georgetown, a young American lady of remarkable beauty. By her he leaves seven small children, beside three grown up nephews and a niece, of whom he always took a paternal care. It is said the property left by him must exceed half a million.

☞ An avalanche of petitions praying that the Boston and Maine Railroad Company have power to use steam power on their tracks to their depot in Boston, were presented in the House last Monday.

The Pope's Nuncio, Bedini, is creating considerable sensation at the South. At Baltimore, placards are posted in English, French, Spanish and German, announcing the intention of M. Bedini to visit the city, and calling on the citizens to treat him as a wild beast. At Philadelphia, Monday evening, he was burnt in effigy.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

No. 4.

It seems to me, that "Thekla," in your last number, has struck a happy vein in her gorgeous description of Woburn. True it is, that Woburn is a town of old and noble growth, full of pleasing associations to those who live within her hospitable borders, and enjoy the mingled beauty of her scenery. Large in territory, full of the spirit of enterprise, with a population both cultivated and intelligent, schools that challenge rivalship in the State, public buildings, elegant and commanding, comfortable dwellings

> "Nestled in plentiful fields,
> Where woodbines cluster around the door."

And stately mansions standing midst

> "Waving flowers in fresh gardens blooming,
> O'er landscape sweet and smiling,
> With green and grassy dales between."

Woburn is destined to become one of the most important and influential towns in the county, with excellent facilities for communication with neighboring towns, and almost hourly trains of cars to and from the city, for the man of business,

> "To see what 'waits him there,"

And to accommodate those who seek repose and comfort beyond the busy hum of city toil and strife. With a full accompaniment of professional men of acknowledged ability, lecturers, associations for mutual improvement, churches, schools and places of trade, where to clothe the body and satisfy the appetite, with numerous villages vieing with each other in the fruits of industry, and an order of social and business intercourse uniting in harmony. Well may "Thekla, the Recluse," love "Our Own Pretty Town."

> "Loveliest village of the plain,
> Where health and plenty cheer the laboring swain,
> Where smiling spring its earliest visit pays,
> And parting summer's lingering blooms delay."

But if this can be said of Woburn, what can be said of her *fair* daughter, Winchester? Dogberry says, "Comparisons are odious"—perhaps never more so than when comparing the beauties of mother and daughter. Sensible of this delicate task, and entertaining a high regard for the reputation of the mother town, I will not, at this time, enlarge upon the many graces of this high born maid,

> "High as the mother,
> And noble like her,
> With golden turrets on her temple crown'd,
> A hundred voices with her virtues resound."

The Lyceum lecture last week, was by Rev. Arthur S. Truin, of Haverhill. Subject, "Woman." It was one of the most attractive lectures of the season. The subject was treated in an original manner, placing woman as the equal, rather than the dependant of man; showing that her present position in society is a false one, and that when cultivated and called into active exercise, she possesses every quality to fit her for that sphere of usefulness and influence, from which error and bigotry now debar her. The lecturer presented many fine points in the character of his subject and embellished the whole with the force and beauty of sound reasoning.

Among the numerous stores in this place, none have a better reputation than those of Messrs. Taylor and Usher. The former keeps a full and perfect assortment of W. I. goods, quite a selection of hard ware, a fair variety of English goods, and above all is perfectly honest and very accommodating. Till recently he has been Postmaster; but politics being a game, to the victor belongs the spoils; so here the guillotine has come in play. Mr. Usher keeps a large and pleasant store under Union Hall; and here, the ladies say, they love to go "shopping;" and well they may, for all that fancy or comfort can claim, is here offered, from a genteel coat to a well-starched dickey; from an elegant shawl to a nice fitting glove; here is to be found all sorts of silk, woolen and cotton goods, boots, shoes, &c., together with enough of the needful and ornamental to answer all demands. Mr. U. has long been favorably known to this community, and combines in his character industry and integrity.

More anon, R.

[For the Journal.]

SPIRIT MANIFESTATIONS IN WINCHESTER.

Mr Editor:—The good old town of Woburn has been somewhat notorious of late, as a resort of the spirits, and their operations, such as sundry rappings, moving of tables and chairs, writing messages, prescribing for the sick, &c., and in some instances they have been the reputed means of causing the hair of the head, and the beard to grow to an enormous and unseemly length; and we have heard of cases where reason has been dethroned and individuals have become maniacs through their agency. Are there any approaching that state in Woburn? But to return—Now, sir, I have never been a convert to these doctrines, (never having witnessed their revelations,) and perhaps I should have remained as sceptical as many others, but for a recent occurrence which took place in one of the streets in Winchester. An express team of our town was passing quietly along, apparently laden with the various comforts and necessaries of life, as usual, when all of a sudden the horses stopped! Various efforts were made, such as coaxing, whipping, &c., but they were of no avail—the beasts stood still—and had they been suddenly endowed with the gift of speech, like Balaam's of old, they might have revealed the mystery, and shown the unseen agency which prevented their further progress. As it was there appeared no alternative but to unlade; this being done and the team re-arranged, the reloading commenced; while a few sympathising friends were lending a helping hand—it suddenly became apparent to them all, that there were spirits present; not manifested by mystical signs through favored "mediums," but by the discovery of certain ominous looking prison-houses, where it was evident the spirits were shut up "in durance vile;" and on making a small aperture, there was a visible escaping of something which seemed to pervade the atmosphere, and told the story; there was no mistake; spirits were present,—and they were ardent spirits, too. Then the question arose, "whose spirits are these?" but there came no satisfactory response—they were dumb—when, suddenly, there appeared large letters upon the walls of one of the prisons, not unreadable chaldee, like the hand-writing on the wall of the Babylonish palace, but in plain English, the initials of a certain name, which might be read and known of all men present. Being satisfied with this revelation, we turned to the second prison-house, when lo! if possible, the communication was clearer still—there appearing, written out in full, the whole name of another well-known individual. How could I any longer doubt, after such manifestations, of the real presence and agency of spirits! and often when we least expect them. Perhaps I ought to inform you that these spirits were going into your peaceable town—and pardon me, sir, if I suggest the inquiry, what will be the consequence? Will not the letting out of these foul spirits be more disastrous to the dwellers in your good old respectable town, than any influence resulting from those alluded to in the beginning of this article? Not only lengthened beard and uncut hair, but what bablings, what woes, what redness of eyes, and wounds without cause, will follow in their train! And now, sir, having warned you of the stealthy ingress of these destructive spirits among you, will not every well-wisher to society be on the alert to detect and destroy them. A word to the wise is sufficient.

A Convert.

WEEKLY SUMMARY.

The Old Colony Memorial of Plymouth says,—"Dr. James Kendall, of this place, preached to his people last Sabbath, from the text—'Having therefore obtained help of God, I continue unto this day,' &c. Dr. Kendall is in his eighty-sixth year, and was settled over his people in the year 1800—making a ministry of fifty-four years."

Mr. Henry L. Allen, of North Branford, Ct., on the 13th inst. killed an eagle, which measured 7 feet from tip to tip of his wings—32 inches from the beak to the end of his tail, and weighing eleven pounds. Tell it not in Gath.

J. W. Virgin, a school teacher in Belchertown, has been fined one dollar and costs on his own confession, for inflicting unreasonable chastisment upon a pupil.

The Ohio papers give accounts of an earthquake on the 12th inst. Delaware papers also speak of an earthquake the same day.

Mr. John W. Gould, who was injured on the Lowell Railroad, while passing under a bridge in Somerville, on Saturday mornin , died the same afterno n, at the Massachusetts General Hospital.

It is said that one of the most distinguished physicians of New England ascribes the fearful increase of cases of paralysis to the use of stoves in close rooms, particularly in sleeping apartments.

The Brattleboro (Vt) Eagle chronicles the death of Miss Lovise Witt, who had just commenced her one hundredth term of school teaching. Parents, children, and in some instances grandchildren, had passed successively under her care.

Hon. Wm. Appleton, has given $2400 for the purpose of sending eighty slaves, the property of Montgomery Bell, of Nashville, Tenn, to Liberia.

A child six or seven years of age, named Susan R. Thompson, daughter of Elbridge G. Thompson of Halifax, Mass., died of hydrophobia, on Saturday last, caused by the bite of a rabid dog.

The obstinate juryman who persisted in standing out all night was badly frost-bitten.

A fatal accident occurred at the mill of A. J. Roberts, in Brooks, Me., on the 17th inst. A stick caught on a circular saw and was thrown with great force across the throat of Mr. Simpson and broke his neck, killing him instantly.

In Barnstead, a town of about 400 voters, there are 79 persons over 75 years of age, and there are more than twice that number between 70 and 75 years of age.

The Sons of New Hampshire, resident in Lowell, are to have a festival. A committee of twenty-four has been chosen to consider the subject.

The Georgia Agricultural Society offers three premiums for babies.

A southern matron proposes a dollar subscription among the women of the south for the purchase of Mount Vernon. Why could'nt the women of the north unite with them, and lay their joint contribution upon the common alter of union?

The British Foreign Bible Society have determined to print 1,000,000 New Testaments for China. The same is contemplated by the American Bible Society.

Two negroes have been arraigned in New York, brought home in the Three Bells, for robbing the passengers in the midst of the horrors of the scene on board the San Francisco. A large amount of jewelry was found upon them.

The New Orleans Courier says that clouds of wild pigeons have been passing over that city for more than a week past, on their annual visit to the west. The markets are all filled with them, at a price of sixty cents per dozen.

☞ F. W. Lincoln of Canton, Leverett Saltonstall, Jr. of Salem, Matthias Ellis of Carver, and Dwight Foster, Jr. of Worcester, have been selected as the Aids to Gov. Washburn.

☞ The small pox and measles are very prevalent in Boston at this time.

☞ The ill health of the proprietor of this paper compels him to offer it for sale. It is in a prosperous condition, and offers inducements for a good investment. The editor is not included in the sale, it will be free of incumbrance.

☞ The ball at the Central House last Thursday evening, given by the Woburn Phalanx, passed off in a very pleasant manner. Much credit is due the manager for the good regulations in those Woburn Phalanx Assemblies. Central Hall is a good one, but not so good as the one which will be in that "Woburn House" when built. If Mr. Pocorney keeps his house as we saw it that evening, he is deserving of patronage. We have more to say on this subject, especially about that "Bugle."

The Rev. Joel Winch of Northfield, Vermont, died on the 2d inst. He was a highly respected Methodist preacher.

☞ Our notice of publications intended for to-day's paper, is crowded out; several communications are ditto.

☞ Hon. Charles Sumner will please receive our thanks for various Congressional documents.

☞ We have lately supposed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral was the Ultima Thule in its line, and that nothing had been or would be invented which could surpass it in its fine points of excellence as a medicine. But we are confidently assured by those competent to judge on the subject, that Dr. Ayer's new Pills excel in high medical artistry even that widely celebrated embodiment of his skill. He has succeeded in making them not only pleasant to take but powerful to cure the large class of complaints which require a purgative remedy. [Lancaster Argus, Ky.

The Baltimore Argus says, one of the greatest curiosities ever exhibited in that city can now be seen at Carroll Hall. It is the body of a man found on the Island of Ichaboe, imbedded in guano, and which is now petrified, a lump of stone. It is supposed to have lain there one hundred years.

St. Louis papers of the 18th inst. state that there had been more sleigh-riding in that city than had been known for many years. Among the curiosities of the course was a mammoth elk harnessed to a pung.

Judge Spooner and sixty-three of the policemen of Cincinnati have been held for trial on a charge of riot, in breaking up the Freemen's procession.

A man must educate himself. College learning is often worse than useless. Franklin, Burns, Chantry, Rittenhouse, Ferguson, &c., were self-taught. Let men learn to think.

Rev. Albert Barnes, author of Barnes' Notes, has so far recovered as to be able to preach. His disease was of the eyes.

The man who quarrelled with his bread and butter has been sent to the Make Lean Asylum.

Massachusetts, with a population of 994,5 4, has but 1861 native-born adults who cannot read and write; while Virginia, with a population less than one-half greater, shows 77,005 whites in the same ignorant condition. Louisiana, with a population of 255,591 whites, shows 21,951 natives who do not read nor write, against only 30,670 in New York, which has a white population of 3,048,925 -nearly twelve times as great as that of Louisiana. Comparisons of this sort—however disagreeable to States where education is limited in its sphere—cannot fail to induce profitable reflection, and stimulate to efforts for improvement.

The Bey of Tunis, who has the reputation of being one of the four best chess players in the world, (writes the Paris correspondence,) has challenged the chess club of our Passage Jouffrey to a rubber game for £1000 sterling. The first game has already begun. The club drew the first move.

Until very recently, it was supposed that any oil was good for the hair, and many a bald head has been the consequence. Scientific research has, however, detected the fallacy. Mr. Spalding has at length discovered a mixture which may be used with perfect safety, and with vast benefit to the hair. As an invigorator, restorer, beautifier and embellisher, it is unequalled. Let every one fling greasy compounds into the gutter, and buy Spalding's Castor Oil and Rosemary.

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

MARRIAGES.

> "There are moments in this fleeting life
> When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
> Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

In this town, Jan. 23d, by Rev. Mr. Masters, Mr. Harry S. Hill, of New York, to Miss Kate E., daughter of Mr. Benjamin Parker.

In Boston, 19th inst., by Rev. B. Judkins, of Nantucket, Mr. T. D. Bond of Wilmington, to Frances A., daughter of Benjamin Judkins, of Boston.

DEATHS.

> "And what's a life? the flourishing array
> Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
> Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

In this town, 25th inst., of consumption, Elizabeth J. wife of John Lord, aged 25 years. [Funeral will take place Sunday, 29th.]

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, by Rev. F. W. Holland. Subject—Turkey.

There will be four more lectures. Tickets for the remainder of the course may be purchased at half price.

A CARD.

A pastor avails himself of this method to present his cordial thanks to "the Ladies of his Society," through whose kindness he has, this evening, received a most acceptable "expression of respect and affection."

Woburn, Saturday evening, Jan. 21, 1854.

NOTICE.

The subscriber would most respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he will give a grand Declamation Olio, at the Town Hall, on which occasion a gold pencil case will be awarded, as a prize to the best declaimer. Lists free for all competitors.

N. B. Young men will confer an obligation on the subscriber, by volunteering to declaim; those wishing to do so, will please inform the subscriber of the title of the piece, and the applicant's name, by letter, addressed to Frank Taylor, Woburn, Mass.

NOTICE.

The Rev. Mr. Reed's Lecture, as announced before the Working Men's Association, on Monday evening, will be deferred until future notice, and the question, "Does God govern the physical, intellectual and moral world, by fixed and immutable laws, or by special providences," will be further discussed, on Monday evening next, Jan. 30.

G. W. KIMBALL, *Sec'y.*

WOBURN BANK.

A special meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking-rooms, in Woburn, on Friday, February 3d, at 6½ o'clock P. M., to consider the expediency of petitioning the Legislature for leave to increase the capital stock.

E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

Woburn, Jan. 18, 1854. 3t

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale **THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL**, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of **TYPE** and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Safes, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.

jan 21 tf

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.

jan 14 3t

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Caleb French, an insolvent debtor, are requested to make payment to Tho's J. Porter, immediately, and all persons having mutual and unsettled accounts, are requested to present them for adjustment, to the subscriber.

THO'S J. PORTER, Assignee.

Woburn, January 9th, 1854. 4t

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.

dec31 3w

CLOTHING.

THE subscriber will keep constantly on hand and for sale a general assortment of Ready-made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, cheap for Cash.

Please call at WM. A. MILES'.

dec31 4w.

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A small house, situated on Court street, containing six rooms, wood-shed, and shoe maker's shop; in every way convenient for a small family. Will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms, if applied for soon. Enquire of N BODWEL, on the premises. dec24tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.

Have now opened their entire importation of

6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.

Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.

We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that

A More Full and Desirable Assortment

IS NOT TO BE FOUND.

Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.

We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.

Chandler & Co.

Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.

nov5 tf

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, } Commissioners.
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }

Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator to the estate of Mary Ulmon, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, single woman, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to JAMES TWEED, Ad'r.

Woburn, Dec. 24th, 1853. 3t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Retire P. Kimbal, late of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, housewright, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make payment to SAMUEL S. RICHARDSON, Adm.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator to the estate of Warner C. Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, trader, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.—All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons, indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to BOWEN BUCKMAN, Adm.

Woburn, November 8th, 1853.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor to the last will and testament of Barth'w Richardson, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, yeoman, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons, having demands upon the estate of the said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to the said estate are called upon to make payment to

BARTHOLOMEW RICHARDSON, Ex'r.

Woburn, Nov. 15th, 1853.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, himnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states. For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Book store. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.

nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

DR. SCALES,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
dec31. 2w

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.—Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by L. THOMPSON, Jr.

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. UNION.

Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by J. S. ELLIS
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A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for sale at WM. WOODBERRY'S.
sept. 10

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by A. ROUNDY,
nov18 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 18

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E. E. Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,	Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,	I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,	Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A Smith,	Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,	Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,	Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,	E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*

E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't*, W. T. Hooker. *Secretary*, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

New Stock of Ladies' Cloths.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received their entire importation of Cloths for

LADIES' CLOAKS AND DRESSES.

Comprising various grades, from medium to the finest qualities manufactured, and in shades of color unsurpassed in beauty

The assortment of the above goods now being complete, purchasers are reminded that the present is the most favorable time to make satisfactory selections.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail,

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

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Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

Boston Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. OTIS & BAILEY. tf

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by THOMAS SLEATER & CO., Foster Wharf, Boston.

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

COCOA, Bone and Ivory handled Knives and Forks, at
sept. 10. WM. WOODBERRY'S

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Farm for Sale in Winchester,

ABOUT one mile from the Depot, consisting of 15 acres of choice land, with a good 2 story house, barn and shed, an aqueduct of spring water that never fails. There is on this land an orchard of about two acres, containing apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, of about 15 years growth, all in bearing. This land is of the border of Winter Pond, and pleasantly situated for building purposes.

For further particulars inquire of GEORGE WYMAN, on the premises, or of GARDNER SYMMES, Main street, Winchester.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853. tf

CHANGE IN BUSINESS.
CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,) Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO.,

FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES—LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by

MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

OATS AND POTATOES.

5000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats.
Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by
THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by

JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

PocketBooks and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

Now is the Time

TO subscribe for the **Phrenological and Water Cure Journals**, for 1854. The *cheapest* and *best* papers in the United States, 62½ cents per year, each. R. H. HOWARD, *Agent*, Woburn, Mass.
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S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

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MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price... All Representations Warranted

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HUNTING & EATON,

EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,

HERMAN HUNTING, } BOSTON
MARCUS EATON, }

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated

TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

MONEY IS UP,
DRY GOODS
ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS,

SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,

RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS, CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS, CASHMERES, MOURNING ARTICLES, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, TRIMMINGS, Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens. Blankets, Quilts, Domestics, Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

—OF—

Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS!

RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,

Rich Piece Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW

One Price Cash System,

—AT—

OAK HALL
CLOTHING HOUSE,

NORTH STREET,

oct29 BOSTON. 8t

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.

FOWLE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—

FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " "
BROCADE SILKS.
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.

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NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained.

Woburn. Oct. 29th, 1853. E. HINCKLEY. tf.

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

ROSE MARY
AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spaulding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache,
10th—To kill haireaters,
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

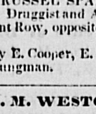
Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day. J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishely

W. M. WESTON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN,



DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.

Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.

ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.

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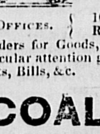

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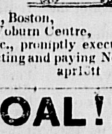

OFFICES. { 10 Court Square, Boston,
{ R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,

Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr1tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to meet their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

AMOS LOCKE.

☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE,
MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, always on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.

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BY J. PHILBRICK.

BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 62 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical, Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books, for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a spendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c. jj30is6m.

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

nov4 tf CHANDLER & Co.

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of

L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

Stoves for Sale.

FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

FUN FOR THE BOYS
WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,

(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)

BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6 and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston.

*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P. M.

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and bedsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that is used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings
may 14 tf

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plasters for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist.

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my28 tf JOHN ASH

JOHN MILLER,

NORTH WOBURN, MASS.,

BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN

WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.

All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to. apr30.

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S.,
PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for the wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	New York Herald
Traveller.	Tribune.
Journal	Commonwealth
Times.	Rambler.
Herald.	Banner.
Commonwealth.	Museum.
WEEKLY	MAGAZINES.
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journal	Graham's.
Olive Bunch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
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Agent for all the Newspapers and Magazines in the United States. G. W. FOWLE

MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA,

AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,

Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.

Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repairs all kinds of the above wares.

D. B. MOREY, } Dealers are invited to call and examine.
R. H. OBER }
oct. 18. 1 year

A New Article for Travel

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. This article is very desirable for all persons travelling, would do well to call and examine, at A. S. J. Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street.

POETRY:

HOME SONG.

Now, thrust my thimble in its case,
And store the spools away,
And lay the muslin rolls in place:
My task is done to-day;
For, like the workman's evening bell,
A sound hath met my ears,
The gate-click by the street doth tell
Papa has come, my dears.
Bear off the toy box from the floor—
For yonder chair make room:
And up, and out unbar the door,
And breathe his welcome home;
For 'tis the twilight hour of joy,
When Home's best pleasures rally;
And I will clasp my darling boy,
While papa romps with Allie.

There, take the hat and gloves, and bring
The slippers, warm and soft,
While bounds the babe, with laugh and spring,
In those loved arms, aloft;
And let each nook some comfort yield—
Each heart with love be warm,
For him whose firm strong hands shall shield
The household gods from harm,
Our love shall light the gathering gloam;
For o'er all earthly hope,
We cherish first the joys of home;
A glad, rejoicing group;
And through the twilight hour of joy,
We turn from toil to daily
With thy young dreams of life, my boy,
And gaily fondle Allie.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

PLANS FOR THE YEAR.

An even distribution of labor is of much importance, and not unfrequently entirely overlooked. Hands hired for the season commonly come to understand the routine of work much better than day hands, and they work more cheaply. A farmer sows half his fields with wheat, with the hope of realizing a fine sum of money; but after the wheat is sown, his men have but little to do that is profitable until the next harvest, when he may be compelled to pay triple wages, all of which trim down the profits, to say nothing about the "rough material." The appropriation of land to the production of some particular product exclusively, has been beautifully advocated by theorists; but in long practice it will not be found to compare with mixed husbandry, that is, with the judicious rotation of crops, combined with raising full herds of domestic animals for the production of manure. In other words, raise plenty of animals, to enrich the crops, which are to feed the animals again. This action and reaction is the very best way to create a plentiful surplus for sale, and at the same time preserve or increase the fertility of the farm.

There is no error more common than the imperfect execution of certain operations, when the farmer finds himself behind hand, with a deficiency of hands. This error is the cause of the luxuriant growth of mulleins and thistles so often seen in pastures; and the heavy coating of weeds which overpower young root-crops, and choke the free growth of corn and potatoes. These often consume all the nett profits of the crop, and a defective plan thus compels the farmer to labor for nothing. We have known a crop of oats so diminished by a few days delay in sowing in spring, and a large field of wheat by a similar delay in autumn, as barely to pay for seed and labor, which otherwise might have yielded a heavy return.

There is no remedy for these evils but a careful and accurate plan of operations at the commencement of the year. The course of cropping should be distinctly marked out beforehand, and the number of acres determined for the oats, barley, corn, potatoes, carrots, wheat, corn-fodder, &c: the amount of labor for each of these may be nearly estimated, and the time in the season when each should be fully completed; and then, making allowance for interruptions, accidents, and rainy weather, the requisite force may be timely secured, and the whole machinery move on with regularity and without derangement. All these plans must be fully recorded in a book kept for the purpose—if the memory is depended on, confusion and failure will be the certain result. If possible, the year's plans should be so completely digested, that the operations of every week may be distinctly laid down on a page allotted for each; the necessary variation of a few days, according to the earliness or lateness of the season, may be easily made afterwards. On such a book as this, notes may be made with the progress of the season, thus perfecting the plan for a second year. A few minutes daily devoted in this way, will accomplish much that is valuable to the farmer, and prevent a great deal of anxiety and confusion. [Country gentleman.

THE POTATO DISEASE.

A very plausible explanation of the cause of the potato rot has lately been given in a paper read before the Kilkenny (Ireland) Literary and Scientific Institution, by David Ferguson, Esq. He takes the ground, that the potato plant is an annual, empowered by God with two modes of reproduction. The one, like the oak tree, lives only for years; the other, lives forever. Both live and die independent of each other, while the plant providing for, but independent of, both. Hence the seed of the potato is like the acorn of the oak, the seed of apple, or the egg of a hen. The potato, at the bottom of the stalk has a quantity of eyes; each eye possesses the same property, for a time, that the seed or egg of a hen does; but the potato, like the tree or hen, becomes aged and past bearing; the oak lives after it ceases to bear, as do also the apple tree and the hen; and so also does the potato. The oak, the apple tree and the hen die from age, and why not also the potato? He infers from these facts, that the potato should be renewed every few years, by planting the seed of the apple or ball. Each ball contains 300 or more seeds, from which different varieties may be obtained. He holds that the largest potatoes are the best for planting, and recommends scooping out the eyes and planting them only; for, he adds, if I plant the potato whole, I put twelve plants to live upon the land of one; and it is like putting twelve cows to live on one cow's grass. Let seed potatoes be the largest, and left in the light until they become green.—The whole of the paper may be found in Littell's Living Age No. 504, for January 14, 1854, and we advise all who feel interested in the subject, (and who does not?) to buy that number and read the article attentively. [Andover Advertiser.

Health for the Afflicted!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disorderd stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper.

I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor Holloway,

Dear Sir—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, Dropsy, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

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A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor Holloway

Dear Sir,—I have much pleasure in handing to you a testimonial of the efficacy of your Medicines. A person in this neighbourhood with whom I am well acquainted was afflicted for a long time with violent spasmodic pains in the stomach and liver, arising from frequent colds, smells of paint, and the effects of a stooping position which he was obliged to assume in his buisness. The spasms were of an alarming character, and frequently left him in a weak and debilitated condition. At length he heard of the salutary effects of your invluable Pills, and was induced to give them a trial. The first dose gave him considerable relief, and by following them up in accordance with your directions, they have acted so wonderfully in cleansing the liver and stomach, and strengthening the digestive organs that he has been restored to the enjoyment of good health.

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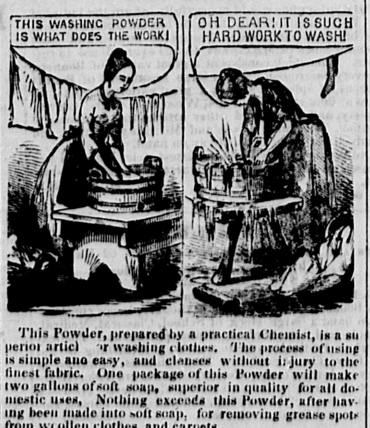

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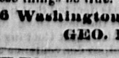

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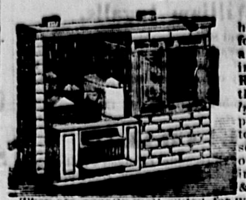

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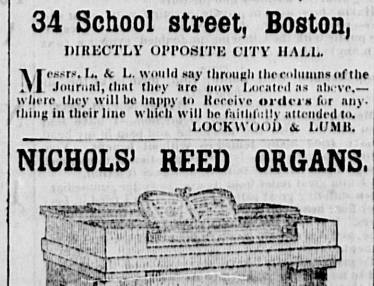

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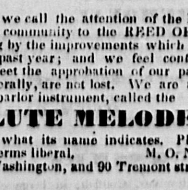

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LINES

On the death of

MISS MARTHA D. WILDER,

Who died in Winchester, Mass., Oct. 14, 1853.

Alas! dear Martha now has gone—
Gone from this world below;
Her troubled spirit is at rest,
From all its earthly woe.

We cannot wish her back again,
To this world so friendless cold;
For now she dwells with Christ in heaven,
Her pleasures are untold.

She goes to join those kindred ones,
Loved mother, brother, sister dear;
And with the holy choir above,
Sing praises of celestial cheer.

In the morn of life her spirit fled,
From earthly scenes so vain;
In Jesus' arms she sweetly sleeps,
Freed from disease and pain.

Although she early passed away,
She had been sorrow's child;
In childhood's sunny hours bereft,
Of a mother's influence mild.

Bereft of those endearing charms,
Which mother's gently twine,
Around the hearts of those they love,
With power almost divine.

A father kind is left to mourn,
For his absent one so dear;
But, he'll meet her soon in the spirit-land,
This life is fleeting here.

We mourn for her and oft a tear
All silently doth flow,
While gazing on the grassy mound,
'Neath which her form lies low.

But, when our thoughts soar upward where
Her spirit took its flight;
We know she's gained eternal bliss,
Which earth can never blight. M. H.

Winchester, Jan 23, 1854.

Written for the Journal.

THE ICE BOAT.

Woburn has already gained much fame, at home and abroad, on account of her numerous facilities for out-door pleasure. Many are the enconiums passed upon her "Lover's Walk," "Rag Rock," "Horn Pond,"—in fact she is fast becoming the pride of our county.

Her young citizens seem to possess a mania for "sailing," nor can we say that any of them were ever known to spread more than "three sheets to the wind." It is supposed by the more experienced of our yeomanry, that when Horn Pond freezes, then all navigation must for a long time cease,—and there is no possible hopes of locomotion, save by the fleet skater or the scuffling foot traveller.

Well, in this antique sport, we find there are attending obstacles to be overcome, especially when the milder sex are to be transported upon the deceitful element. A party sallied forth upon one of our last moonlight nights, composed of equal parts of each gender, all bent upon a huge "time" down upon the frozen pond.

The night, oh! what shall we say? Enough that not a cloud floated in the horizon, and the moon seemed like a colorless gem amid its diamond satellites, set upon the olive brow of an eastern queen. The march for the pond was a double-quick-step. What a jovial group. Some, having "taken the wrong step," (as the dancing teacher says,) they were busily picking up themselves; others were chatting some long yarn of exploits performed of yore. Ever and anon those laughing echoes returned, only to re-echo far away among the moon lit vales, and among the rock cliffs and frost-sparkling summits of the neighboring mountains. Methinks the "hermit" had dreams of boyish days sometime that night, as some solitary echo found its way to his lonely pillow. Now all are upon the smooth course, some very cautious, only placing one foot upon the ice at once, fearful that it might by some unknown weakness let them through.

Now for rare sport. Joe, a gallant youth, with well bound skates glistening beneath his feet, offers the end of a handkerchief to some little Venus-like timidity; she blushingly seized the connection, and comet-and-tail like off they go, outstripping the wind,—the trees seem to be pulling up stakes and leaving for a contrary direction. Now their momentum becomes railroad like, and it occurs to the gallant skater that it would be safe to "break up." While he begins to turn "the wheel about," the feet of the damsel coming upon some undiscovered obstacle upon the track, refuse to *stand* the test, and like the doves in the street "fly up," and like a sinking schooner the main craft "goes down." Oh, what screams and "ice-screams."

Now, phrenologically speaking, had our voyagers a better "chart" they would have had less "bumps" prominently marked.

In another direction we notice a boat under full sail, a jolly crew are manning the ropes as she glides off before a fresh breeze. She is triangular, with the base as prow, and vertex the stern. She is shod with a skate at each angle, while the one at the stern serves as a very sensitive rudder. With her tiny pennons streaming out, reflecting the silver moonbeams, she skims over the glassy surface like a thing of life. Our happy voyagers will ever fondly cherish the memory of that sail in the ice-boat; for if there be never so many "ups" and "downs," this craft, unlike the course of true love, always runs smooth.

The long-boat, the jolly-boat,
The pinnace and yawl;
But give me the ice boat,
'Tis the best of them all.

[For the Journal.]

REVOLUTIONARY RECORDS.

BY ANTIQUARY.

The Committee of Safety &c. for the Town of Concord beg leave to inform the Honorable Council of this State that on Thursday the 9th day of April instant they took up one Phenihas Mun an inhabitant (some time since) of the Town of Dearfield on Suspicion of being an Enemy to the united States of america, and brot him upon examination, the heads thereof we beg leave to Insert.—That he Divers times had been (as he call'd it) mobbd by the People in them parts, in Peticular by Col Porter and a Party with him for his being Conversent with David Ingosel Esq of Great Barrington before Hostilitys was begun in america—and farther says that in may last he was Drafted by Capt Dickinson of Dearfield to fill up the Continental army and offered to pay his fine but the Captain told him there was no fine to pay but he must Go, after that the Capt would take the fine, but then he said Mun would not pay the same but immediatly went of to the enemy there Remaind Some time and Returned to his Famely again but his wife told him it was not Safe for him to Tarry there as they was determined he should pay the fine or Go to Prison, and upon that he went again to the enemy & was six Days in Gen Burgoynes army, from thence went to fort Edward, and so on to montreal, there Remained all Last winter till march Last at which time he with others Petitions (as he Saith) to Return into this state again, being Permitted he with three others Came from Montreal in Cannada the fore part of March, Traviling to the mouth of onion River, and with much Difficulty & seventeen Day Travil thro the woods came to Dussom undiscovered and Traviling a nights &c with much Difficulty came to the Town of Concord where we apprehended him and put him in Goal—and farther the said Mun Informs that a Larg Body of the enemy Consisting of British Troops Canadians & Indians, were comming as Soon as the Laks broke up, upon the Fronteer Towns of this and the others of the united States of america with commission to burn kill & Destroy all before them—we thot it Consistent with our Duty to Give the earliest notice Posscable to the Board for further examination.

by order of Committee,
John Cuming Chair.

Concord April ye 13th 1778.

The Comte appointed to examine Phinehas Mun, who was sent under Guard by the Com of Concord, as a Person very dangerous to the American States, have examined the said Mun, and find by his own confession that he is an inhabitant of Deerfield in the County of Hampshire was drafted by his officer to do duty in the army—refused to go, or to pay his fine and to avoid (what he called difficulty) went off to the enemy, tarried some days in Burgoynes Camp, then returned to Deerfield, but being told that was not a place of safety for him again attempted to join the enemy, but finding Burgoyne surrounded by the Americans, he proceeded to Montreal; where he spent the winter, but being sensible as he saith that he had committed a mistake with regard to Britons Power intentions &c he resolved to return to his country and deliver himself up and on his way to some part of New Hampshire, he was taken as aforesaid.

The committee therefore report the following order

In Council April 15th 1778

Ordered that the said Mun be sent under the Guard who conveyed him from Concord to this Board and delivered to the Sherreff of the County of Middlesex that he may be by him sent to the Sherriff of the County of Hampshire, to be recommitted to the Goal in Northampton for trial.

Read and Accepted
Jno Avery Dep Sec.

At the burning of Metropolitan Hall, New York, the foreman of hose company No. 45 had the nozzle of the hose burned and charred to a cinder in his hand, and had his boots actually burned to a crisp on his feet.

The latest case of absence of mind was that of a young woman in Portland, who was sent by her mother to buy a pair of shoes, and instead of buying them married the shoemaker. It was a week before she discovered her mistake, and even then she did not cry about it.

The Trustees of the Pilgrim Society are taking active measures to carry out the plan of erecting a suitable monument to the Pilgrims, at Plymouth. The sum subscribed for the purpose already exceeds $10,000.

A few days since Mrs. Washington, the accomplished lady of John A. Washington, presented her husband with a son. This is the first male child *ever* born in the Washington mansion. This mansion was built, except the wings, in the year 1746, by Lawrence Washington, who left it to the General. It is consequently 108 years old.

A revival has been in progress in the Kentucky State Prison, and seven persons were recently baptised within the walls. The keeper has been in the habit of lecturing the inmates every Sunday morning.

A TALE OF DIABLERIE.

FROM THE GERMAN.

It may be about twelve years since I was forced by a lawsuit to spend some months in Stuttgard. I lived at one of the best hotels, and generally dined with a large company at the table d'hote. At one time I made my first appearance at table after a lapse of several days, during which I had been forced to keep my room. The company were talking very eagerly about a certain Signor Barighi, who for some time past had been delighting the other visitors with his lively wit, and his fluency in nearly all languages. All were unanimous in his praise, but they could not exactly agree as to his occupation; some making him out a diplomatist, others a teacher of languages, a third party a distinguished political exile, and a fourth a spy of the police. The door opened, all seemed silent, even confused, at having carried on the dispute in so loud a tone; I judged that the person spoken of must be among us, and saw Signor Barighi, as the stranger was called. He had given a new relish to our meal by his brilliant conversation, when mine host interrupted us suddenly—"Gentlemen," said he, "prepare yourself for an unique entertainment which will be provided for you to-morrow."

We asked what this meant, and a grey headed captain, who had presided at the hotel table many years, informed us of the joke as follows—"Exactly opposite this dining-room, an old bachelor lives, solitary and alone, in a large deserted house; he is a retired Counsellor of State—lives on a handsome premium, and has an enormous fortune besides. He is, however, a downright fool, and has some of the strongest peculiarities; thus, for instance, he often gives himself entertainments on a scale of extravagant luxury. He orders covers for twelve, from the hotel, he has excellent wines in his cellar, and one or the other of our waiters has the honor to attend table. You think, perhaps, that at these feasts he feeds the hungry, and gives drink to the thirsty—no such thing; on the chairs lie old yellow leaves of parchment, from the family record, and the old hunks is as jovial as if he had the merriest set of fellows around him; he talks and laughs with them, and the whole thing is said to be so fearful to look upon, that the youngest waiters are always sent over, for whoever has been to one such supper will go no more.

The day before yesterday he had a supper, and our new waiter, Frank there, calls heaven and earth to witness that nobody shall ever induce him to go there a second time. The next day after the entertainment comes the Councillor's second freak. Early in the morning he leaves the city, and comes back the morning after; not, however, to his own house, which during this time is fast locked and bolted, but into this hotel. Here he treats people he has been in the habit of seeing for a whole year, as strangers; dines, and afterwards places himself at one of the windows, and examines his own house from top to bottom.

"Who does that house opposite belong to?" he then asks the host.

The other regularly blows and answers, "It belongs to the Counsellor of State, Hasentreffer, at your service."

Hasentreffer then examines the house, and learns that it belongs to Hasentreffer. "Oh, what!" he asks, "the same that was a student with me at Tübingen"—then throws up the window, stretches his powdered head out, and shouts out—"Ha-asentreffer—Ha-asentreffer!"

Of course no one answers, but he remarks: "The old fellow would never forgive me if I was not to look in on him for a moment," then takes up his hat and cane, unlocks his own house, goes in, and all goes on after as before.

All of us, as the Professor proceeded with his story, were greatly astonished at this singular tale, and highly delighted at the idea of the next day's merriment. Signor Barighi, however, obliged us to promise that we would not betray him, as he said he was preparing a capital joke to play off on the Counsellor.

We all met at the table d'hote earlier than usual, and besieged the windows. An old tumble-down carriage, drawn by two blind steeds, came crawling down the street; it stopped before the hotel. There's Hasentreffer, there's Hasentreffer, was echoed from every mouth; and we were filled with extravagant merriment when we saw the little man get out, neatly powdered, dressed in an iron grey surtout with a huge meerschaum in his hand. An escort of at least ten servants followed him in, and in this guise he entered the dining-room.

We sat down at once. I have seldom laughed as much as I did then; for the old chap insisted with the greatest coolnes, that he came direct from Carrel, and that he had six days before been extremely well entertained at the Swan Inn at Frankfort. Barighi must have disappeared before the dessert, for when the Counsellor left the table, and the other guests, full of curiosity, imitated his example, Barighi was no where to be seen.

The Counsellor took his seat at the window; we all followed his example, and watched his movements. The house opposite seemed desolate and uninhabited. Grass grew on the threshold, the shutters were closed, and on some of them birds seemed to have built their nests.

"A fine house opposite," said the old man to our host, who kept standing behind him in the third position. "Who does it belong to?"

"To the Counsellor of State, Hasentreffer, at your service."

"Ah, indeed! that must be the same one who was a fellow-student with me," said he; "he would never forgive me if I was not to inform him that I was here." He opened the window,—"Ha-asentreffer—Ha-asentreffer!" cried he, in a hoarse voice. But who can paint our terror, when opposite, in the empty house which we knew was so firmly locked and bolted, a window-shutter was slowly opened, a window raised, and out of it peered the Counsellor of State, Hasentreffer, in his chintz morning-gown and night-cap, under which a few thin grey locks were visible; this, this exactly, was his morning costume. Down to the minutest wrinkle on the palid visage, the figure across the street was precisely the same as the one that stood by our side. But a panic seized us, when the figure in the morning gown called out across the street, in just the same hoarse voice, "What do you want? who are you calling to, hey."

"Are you the Counsellor of State, Hasentreffer!" said the one on our side of the way, pale as death, in a trembling voice, and quaking as he leaned against the window for support.

"I'm the man," squeaked the other, nodding his head in a friendly way; "have you any commands for me?"

"But I'm the man, too," said our friend mournfully, "how can it be possible?"

"You are mistaken, my dear friend," answered he across the way, "you are the thirteenth, be good enough just to step across the street to my house, and let me twist your neck for you; it is by no means painful."

"Waiter! my hat and stick," said the Counsellor, pale as death, and his voice escaped in mournful tones from his hollow chest. "The devil is in my house and seeks my soul; a pleasant evening to you, gentlemen," added he, turning to us with a polite bow, and left the room.

"What does this m[illegible] he asked each other; "are we all mad?" [illegible]

The gentleman in the morning gown kept looking quietly out of the window, while our good sily old friend crossed the street at his usual pace. At the front door he pulled a huge bunch of keys out of his pocket, unlocked the heavy creaking door—he of the morning gown looking carelessly on—and walked in.

The latter now withdrew from the window, and we saw him go forward to meet our acquaintance at the room door.

Our host and the ten waiters were pale with fear, and trembled. "Gentlemen," said the former, "God pity poor Hasentreffer, for one of those two must be the devil in human shape." We laughed at our host, and tried to persuade ourselves that it was a joke of Barighi's; but our host assured us that no one could have obtained access to the house except he was in possession of the Counsellor's very artificially contrived keys; also, that Barighi was seated at table not ten minutes before the prodigy happened; how then could he have disguised himself so completely in so short a time, even supposing him to have known how to unlock a strange house? He added, that the two were so fearfully like one another, that he who had lived in the neighborhood for twenty years could not distinguish the true one from the counterfeit. "But for God's sake, gentlemen, do you not hear the horrid shrieks opposite?"

We rushed to the window—terrible and fearful voices rang across from the empty house; we fancied we saw the old Counsellor pursued by his image in the morning-gown, hurry past the window repeatedly. On a sudden all was quiet.

We gazed on each other; the boldest among us proposed to cross over to the house—we all agreed to it. We crossed the street—the huge bell at the old man's door was rung thrice, but nothing could be heard in answer; we sent to the police and to a blacksmith's—the door was broken open, the whole tide of anxious visitors poured up the wide silent staircase—all the doors were fastened; at length one was opened, in a splendid apartment, the Counsellor, his iron gray frock coat torn to pieces, his neatly dressed hair in horrible disorder, lay dead, strangled, on the sofa.

Since that time no traces of Barighi have been found, neither in Stuttgard nor elsewhere.

A petition for a charter for a Gas Company in Nantucket has been forwarded to the Legislature. The Mirror thinks that a company will soon be formed for the purpose of supplying those with gas who may desire it.

A dwarf said to a giant—"We have equal rights!" "Very true, my good friend," replied the giant, "yet thou canst not walk in my shoes." "Ditto," said the dwarf.

Death of an Exile.—Mr. Patrick O'Donohoe, who was transported to Van Dieman's Land by the British Government, in 1848, for participating in the attempted rebellion, died on Saturday at his lodgings in Brooklyn. His disease was some form of dysentery, under which he had been laboring for several weeks. His wife and children arrived just in time to follow his remains to the grave.

WOBURN RECORDS.

MARRIAGES OMITTED.

1765.

Abijah Johnson and Mary Reed, both of Woburn, m May 7.
David Winn and Hannah Twist, both of Woburn, Jan 11.
Joseph Greenwood of Boston and Margery Reed of Woburn, July 18.
Edward Johnson, jr and Mary Godfrey, both of Woburn, Oct 31.
Silas Cutler and Ruth Johnson, both of Woburn, Oct 31.

1766.

Timothy Winn, Jr and Sarah Reed, both of Woburn, Jan 23.
Joel Fiske of Cambridge and Ruth Reed of Woburn, June 8.
Hezekiah Richardson of Townsend and Elizabeth How of Woburn, Sept 4.
Giles Johnson and Elizabeth Brooks, both of Woburn, Oct 14.
Nathan Pierson of Wilmington and Rebeckah —— of Woburn, Oct 21.
James Fowle 3d and Susanna Wyman, both of Woburn, Oct 23.
Silas Simonds and Molly Dean, both of Woburn, Nov 20.
Micheal Taylor of Stoneham and Mary Richardson of Woburn, Nov 25.
Stephen Munroe of Lexington and Nancy Perry of Woburn, July 8.

DEATHS CONTINUED.

1756.

Johnson, Benjamin s of Capt Benjamin, d at College June 21.
Richardson, Esther d Noah and Phebe, d March 15.
Richardson, Noah, June 23.
Hartwell, Ruhannah, wid of Dea Joseph Hartwell, July 11.

1757

Leath, Mar[illegible] 23.
[illegible] Aug —.
Richardson, Hannah d John Richardson, Oct 16.

1758.

Brooks, Nathan, Jan 25.
Brooks, Elizabeth, d Nathan, Feb 12.
Tyler, Jacob's wife, Dec 20.
Reed Timothy, Oct 17.
Tay, Nathaniel, April 2.
Johnson, Joel s Capt Benjamin, Sept 4.
Symnes, Ruth wife William, Nov 16.

1759.

Coggin, Ellzabeth, Jan 23.
Richardson, Mary d Nathan, jr, Oct 10.
Wyman, Rebekah d Nathan, Sept 15.
Richardson, Jonathan, July 16.
Thompson, Mary d Samuel and Abigail, April 6.
Peirce, Josiah Dea, June —.

1760.

Caldwell, Jacob's wife, Sept 28.
Simonds', Hannah w Nathan, Oct 21.
Reed, Ruth d George July 31.
Johnson, Abigail wife Giles, Nov 25.

1761.

Thompson, Esther wife Abijah, died of small pox, Jan 3.
Holding, Abigail d Jonathan, Feb 25.
Belknap, Abigail wife Samuel, Oct 16.
Walker, Esther, wife Edward, Sept 23.
Fox, Susannah d Capt Jonathan, Sept —,
Fox, Jabez s " " Sept 29.
Giles, John, Jan 20.
Richardson, Noah jr, s Noah and Phebe, Jan 6.
Richardson, Lucy d Noah and Phebe, July 21.
Richardson, Dr Edmund, May 30.

1762.

Johnson, Mary wife Capt Benjamin, June 5.
Simonds, Mary w Lieut James, March 9.
Symnes, Abigail w John, March 9.
Peirce, Hannah d Josiah and Ruth, Dec 24.

Corrections for No. 15.

1770.

For Benjamin Burton of Harwich read Warwick.
For Lonella read Conella.

No. 16. Deaths.

1751.

For Laurence read Lawrence.

1752.

For Kendall Josephs read Kendall wife of Joseph.
For Reed Eliphaz read Reed wife of Elipaz.
For Wood Josiah read Wood wife of Josiah.
For Tufts Peter read son of Peter, jr.

1753.

For Eames Joshua read Eames wife of Joshua.
For Richardson Samuel a 85 read a 84.
For Fowle Samuel read Fowle wife of Samuel.

1756.

For Brooks Nathan child read Nathan's child.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, FEB. 4, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

A Farmer.—According to your request, we publish your article. You must have a stronger argument when you meet "A Convert," or you won't gain much for your side.

L.—There is much to be admired in your lines, and we shall publish them with pleasure. Our Winchester friends will be pleased to see evidences of talent coming out from amongst them. We shall be pleased to hear from 'L.' often.

*—That "Star" shone bright, on that icy night. We like these graphic sketches. Horn Pond is a fine spot for "sports on the ice," when it is like our "solid men"—able to bear any pressure.

R—Interesting as usual.

O. J. P.—You must improve your spelling, and not write on both sides of the sheet. The compositors complain of all communications which are badly spelled and written on both sides of a sheet. We shall have to exclude them; they take up too much time. You are strong in your remarks, but the "Evils of Intemperance" are stronger.

J. L. E.—An excellent and true statement on the raising of rye, from our friend in Somerville, a large dealer in grain. We are pleased to receive these *facts*, and hope the statement will have a good effect in Middlesex county. We shall publish it under the agricultural head next week.

EDITORIAL.

STEAMER SAN FRANCISCO.

The receiving of the passengers from this unfortunate steamer has created much public sympathy, and the right sort of feeling has been manifested in various ways toward these noble-hearted seamen who came to their rescue, when every human effort for safety was given over. There is something beautiful and extremely touching in reading the many incidents relating to this sad disaster, and we admire to see the actions of men prove that the human heart is not so entirely crusted over by inhumanity and love of gold as to prevent its breaking forth, in all its warm sympathy, at the scene of distress.

Where can we find a nobler specimen of humanity than among those who live as it were on the broad ocean. Where can we look or find deeds of noble daring in the cause of human suffering, of more surpassing heroism, or acts of intrepid bravery, than history and recent events shine forth in the true-hearted sailor. We have always been the seaman's friend; have been with them on the ocean, when the storms have swept over us with all their fury; when the mountain wave seemed ready to bury us in the deep; and on one occasion, which we shall never forget, in one of these mighty storms which call all hands on duty, our frail bark lay at its mercy, fast sinking from an undiscovered leak. Then we saw the noble traits of the sailor. By a personal effort of ours we saved the vessel, which could not have floated an hour. In that awful time, when in almost Egyptian darkness, we could just see by the dim light of a lantern that the vessel was fast settling down, the water having reached the cabin floor, and old weather-beaten seaman came to us, as we stood firm at the helm, and with a steady look said, "We are fast going to the bottom, sir, what can *I* do to *save you*." But a kind Providence interceded for us, and we were by a fortunate circumstance saved.

Many years have passed over us since this occurrence on the boisterous waves of Lake Erie, but we have never been unmindful of the welfare of seamen. They have been considered as belonging to the lower classes, subject to impositions, and treated in the worst manner by those who should have been their protectors. It is, however, different now. Public opinion is awake, and the welfare and interest of seamen will not be neglected.

We are led to this subject more particularly to notice what we think is entirely wrong in the awards of the Committees who distribute the funds subscribed for the testimonial of public feeling to those brave men, who periled lives and property to save the forlorn passengers on the steamer San Francisco. We think they have overlooked the men who tugged at the oar, and performed the labor and daring attempts on those ocean waves, and whose strong arms and noble hearts flinched not till every living being was safe, the seamen before the mast have not, in our opinion, received their merited reward.

Why not give *them* the freedom of a city. Why not gather *them* on change, take *them* by the hand, and thank *them* with hearty cheers for their noble deeds. We would not take from the *officers* one particle of public praise, but we would add much to the hardy *crews*; both have a seaman's heart, and these men who do the duty are equal in praise with those who give the command. In this case officers receive gold medals with thousands of dollars, while the sailor is awarded only a few hundred. It does not suit our ideas of strict justice.

We take from the New York Tribune the interesting ceremony of presenting Captain Crighton, of the ship Three Bells, the freedom of the city, with a gold box.

"At 10 o'clock Thursday morning, the Freedom of the City was presented to Capt. Crighton, of the Three Bells, at the Astor House. A Committee from the Common Council, on behalf of that body, presented Capt. Crighton with the Freedom of the City, in a very handsome Gold Snuff-box.

The presentation was made by Alderman Blunt, of the Third Ward, in the following address:

Capt. Robert Crighton—Sir,—I am authorised by the Corporation of the City of New York to extend to you the freedom of this city, together with a gold box, as a testimonial of the regard for you. I might linger on the thrilling incidents connected with your fidelity to human suffering. From the moment you discovered the San Francisco, until you had rescued from a watery grave more than two hundred distracted beings, I might touchingly allude to your tears from day to day, as witnessed by your sailors, because you could not sooner relieve the unfortunate. I might speak of the fearful responsibility you assumed in violating the insurance of your ship and valuable cargo by deviating from your specific course; of your personal perils amid the howling tempest; of the four inch stream of water pouring in upon you, which compelled both pumps to be constantly wrought before you discovered the wreck; of the disadvantages of 400 tons of iron and large quantities of merchandise in a ship of only 700 tons burthen; of the loss of every sail before you saw the wreck, save your fore-sail and mainsail,—I might dwell on these historical truths and on your affectionate regard for the rescued, but I forbear.

All this and even more is on every tongue and uttered around every fireside, and cannot be glorified by me. The contemplation of the good you have effected will ever be a delightful solace to you, and your humanity will be a precious inheritance for your consanguinity; the wives and children of those whose lives you preserved will ever love you, and transmit your name to their farthest posterity; the mariners of every ocean will strive to imitate your glorious example; the noble youth of our country will read of your heroic deeds and resolve to cultivate your manly virtues; little children already lisp your name in terms of praise; tears of gratitude are freely shed for you by both sexes, and fervent prayers go up to heaven from all the habitations of this land, that your valuable life may long be preserved, and that health, happiness and prosperity may ever be your lot, and your name will be revered by coming generations, when every being who beholds this day's sun shall be a tenant of the tomb.

Ald. Blunt then presented the snuff-box, together with the usual forms of the freedom of the city.

Capt. Crighton was much overcome, and in reply could only thank them fervently for this high acknowledgement of his performance of his duty.

Capt. Crighton, together with the Committee, proceeded to the Governor's room in the City Hall. Here he was received by an immense throng of citizens, who greeted his arrival with enthusiastic acclamations.

The visitors were introduced and shook hands with the gallant sailor.

Among the visitors was General Winfield Scott, who gave Capt. Crighton a hearty welcome. The general said, "Sir, I am glad to take so noble a man by the hand, and I thank you for the kindness you extended to the troops which I have the honor to command." Accompanying the general was Col. Scott. The visitors in the room at this time gave six cheers for Gen. Scott and six cheers for Capt. Crighton.

One fine looking old gentleman who was introduced to Capt. C. said, "I would rather take you by the hand than the proudest monarch that ever sat upon a throne."

A little apprentice boy with a paper cap on his head, and having his shirt sleeves rolled up to his shoulders, entered the room, and as he shook hands with the captain said, "Be of good cheer."

It is estimated that during the time the captain remained in the Hall he was visited by upward of two thousand persons. There were also a number of ladies present, who greeted him warmly; one rapturously kissed his hand as he passed.

At 1 o'clock the committee escorted the captain from the Hall to the Astor House. The preamble and resolutions passed by both Boards of the Common Council, neatly engrossed and enclosed in an elegant gilt frame, were also presented to Capt. Crighton. The American and English flags appear at the top of the resolutions, while beneath is a sea scene representing the wrecked steamer, and the Three Bells rescuing the sufferers. In the afternoon the committee of the Board honored the captain with a dinner at the Astor House. It was not, however, made public, none excepting the guest, the committee, and several members, being present.

Last evening the gallant captain visited the Broadway Theatre, having been tendered a private box by Mr. Marshall.

The house was well filled, presenting a brilliant and beautiful array. In the dress circle were a large number of ladies, who attended despite the unpleasant weather, being stimulated by a desire to see the brave and intrepid rescuer of so many human beings from a watery grave. The box occupied by Capt. Crighton was draped with the American and English colors.

☞ The Assembly at the Central House last week, given by the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, was attended by a large party of ladies and gentleman, with Smith's Salem Quadrille Band. We stepped in, as a spectator, by invitation from Capt. Winn, and passed an hour very agreeably. We noticed delegations from the Boston Light Infantry, (we don't like the name of Tigers,) also from Lowell, Stoneham, &c., counting up sufficient to fill the large hall. The arrangements were in perfect order, and everything passed off with credit to the managing officers of the evening.

☞ We have some fresh news from Europe—more battles between the Turks and Russians—the Turks victorious. Matters look very much like a general war. Breadstuffs on the rise,—large armies in motion,—with indications of a spirited demand for flour and grain. Flour in the Boston market is up to $11 per barrel, corn $1.25 per bushel, other provisions in proportion. We pity the poor.

☞ The Lecture upon Turkey was delivered before the Lyceum by the Rev. F. W. Holland. The audience was large, and seemed by a manifest attraction to appreciate the familiar and life-like descriptions of the lecturer. His extensive travels in the East afford him a correct knowledge of manners and customs of that interesting although decaying people. Had ideas occurred to the lecturer with more connection, the system thus gained might have enabled his audience better to retain the facts so promptly and faithfully given.

☞ The Mechanics' Association held its weekly meeting on Monday, Jan 30th. The discussion was very interesting, as well as instructive. We are seldom favored with such argumentative deliberations as those to which we listened then. The question, after a spirited and able investigation, was decided unanimously in the affirmative,—that God governs the world by immutable laws and not by special providences. The Association numbers about sixty, although this number falls far below what we think it should. There are many young men who we think might avail themselves of such facilities for mental improvement, who perhaps for want of other employment spend much time in useless amusement. We sincerely hope many more will come in and place their shoulders to the wheel, thereby promoting a noble institution, disseminating truth broad-cast in society, and raising themselves in the scale of being. Come and see, and like the Queen of Sheba you will say "The half had not been told you."

A public lecture will be given by Rev. Mr. Reed of Winchester, at the Hall of the Association, next TUESDAY evening.

☞ Congress is beginning to be the hot-bed of personal quarrels. The Nebraska bill is a fire-brand, which will make trouble before it is extinguished. Senator Douglass has been too much petted, he thinks perhaps that he is the whole of Young America. Nothing of importance has yet been transacted.

☞ Our readers will perceive the notice on the petition of Mr. Dow and others for a Four-penny Savings Bank, in Woburn. We hope it will succeed,—all good citizens will give it a helping hand.

☞ The ice business at Horn Pond is in the full tide of successful experiment. This business gives employment to a large number of hands, and brings many a dollar to Woburn.

☞ A chest was washed ashore at Falmouth, Mass., a few days since, in which was found a Bible with an inscription signifying that it was given by an affectionate mother to her son, and also a daguerreotype of a female, supposed to be the mother, and the giver of the Bible. Everything else had been washed from the chest. These two relics are in the possession of Rev. Mr. Hooker, of Falmouth.

☞ Our Legislature is working along very easy. We shall soon have reports from committees of much importance. As yet only the ground work has been laid.

New Town in Middlesex County.—An order of notice has just been served on the petition of a portion of the inhabitants and legal voters of the towns of West Cambridge, Watertown and Waltham, to be set off by themselves as the town of Belmont. This new town will embrace the southerly part of West Cambridge, and that part of Watertown which bounds upon our city in the vicinity of Mt. Auburn. It will include a pleasant part of Waltham, the estate of J. P. Cushing, Esq., in Watertown, and a considerable portion of Wellington Hill, in West Cambridge.

The town of Tapula, on the Mississippi, together with 8000 bales of cotton was destroyed by fire on Tuesday last.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

No. 5.

Mr. Editor:—The recent severe weather must operate very hard upon the poorer classes of society. The ground is so completely closed up, that all out door work (excepting ice-cutting,) is very dull. Fuel is high, rents the same; edibles advancing in price, and to those who have large families, and only what they earn from day to day, cold weather, and hungry mouths, are sorry companions. I hope all who are blest with a plenty, will be remindful of the poor and needy. How many suffering families can be made comfortable by a small share of what is thrown from the tables of the rich, every day. How many shivering bodies can be made warm and cheerful by the cast-off clothing of those who can command a new garment every week. I fear the prospects of the poor, for some time to come are cheerless. The price of wages is generally the last to rise, and the first to fall; with the high rate of provisions this is a melancholy evil, and if breadstuffs should continue to rise it is a serious question whether or not destitution and hunger will not sweep over the land, especially if the threatened conflict in Europe should take place. Perhaps much of the recent rise is the consequence of speculation and false alarm. There certainly is a large store of grain of all kinds locked up in the western states, waiting for the opening of lake and river navigation. By the infamous proceedings at Erie, the land communication with the west is greatly frustrated, and immense quantities are thus detained. Corn and flour are higher in Boston than New York or Liverpool, but this cannot long be, for these articles, like water, will find their level. If the great magazines of grain that find an outlet upon the waters of the Black and Baltic seas should be closed against the wants of Southern and Western Europe, a great foreign demand will be the result, and the comparatively small amount that we now export, will be swelled to such quantities as to create a scarcity here. If our country should remain neutral, our carrying trade will rapidly enlarge, and all staple products find a quick and profitable market abroad. A recent writer of much reflection, (speaking of the future of America,) doubts if the increased products of the country, will keep pace with the increase of population, and Lord Bacon, I think, said,

"No one virtue, yet,
Will stop that worst of vices, propagation—
Sure starvation."

The lecture last week was by Prof. Hitchcock, of Bowdoin College, and it was truly a lecture, such as few men can give, and few audiences are favored with. Subject, "The human races in America." The lecture was first delivered on Thursday evening in Lyceum Hall, but, owing to its great length, it was much abreviated. The public were so delighted, that he was requested to repeat it on Friday evening in the vestry of the Orthodox church. At an early hour the large vestry, as well as the adjoining smaller one, was completely filled, and for more than two hours the lecturer enchained the attention of his hearers with the fire of genius, the beauty of poetry, and the rich imagery of scholarship, tempering the whole with the most pleasing and the most convincing argument. The lecture was an epitome of the world's history for the last five centuries, so far as it effected the discovery and settlement of America—analysing the English, French, Spanish, German and Irish characters at home—motives and prospects here—the natural aptitude of our soil and climate for the development of specific habits and tastes—the peculiar geographical position of the Western continent, embracing every degree of heat and cold; its earliest probable inhabitants, later Indian occupants and English settlement; and final "*manifest destiny*," as a great nation, a free people, a powerful element in christianity and civilizing the world. Condemning the rigid conservatism of one class, and the Fillibustering spirit of the other, he had "*no fear of young America*," but believed the wellfare of our country rested upon the school-house, the meeting-house, and the militia; not a standing army of title and indolence, but a citizen soldiery, full of industry in peace, full of bravery and emulation in war, believing the Olive branch should precede the sword, but that the sword should be kept bright and convenient. The lecturer closed with a beautiful tribute to the memory of our fathers, and a thrilling appeal to the young, to guard well the sacred trust committed to their care.

More anon, R.

[For the Journal.]

Mr. Editor,

Dear Sir,—In your paper of the 2-th, I read a communication from a convert, of Winchester. In the first place what has he been converted from, and what converted to. Most likely from a drunkard to a saucy bigot. Yes, a cold water bigot. He makes a great story out of a small affair. But all the bigotry in the world won't deprive Boston of the right of trade, or the people of Massacusetts of their fire-side rights. Since the day of railroads the sale of spirituous liquors have been altered and so has the sale of milk. But, sir, the use of liquor can never be entirely stopped in old Massachusetts, notwithstanding all that may be done by priests, women and children, or cold water fanatics. If he will give his name, or meet me at the editor's office in Woburn, on the 6th day of February, I will be there and join issue with him on that or any other subject.

A Farmer of Reading.

☞ The project for changing the rates of postage, reported from the House committee, fixes the rates of postage at three cents per half-ounce for the distance of three thousand miles, and at six cents for any distance up to six thousand, and that all postage shall be *prepaid*.

☞ The Mormons possess a large establishment at the Salt Lake city, for the manufacture of beet sugar—or rather of beet molasses, and turned out large quantities of the latter article during the last fall.

In Charlestown, last week, a mad dog started from the foot of Green street, down Main street, and in his mad career bit three or four children,—one of them a son of O. F. Raymond, badly in the hand. Another, we learn, was bitten in the ear. The last seen of the dog was his running up the Fitchburg railroad track.

☞ A police officer of Buffalo, who had a warrant for the arrest of a colored woman for theft, was prevented from executing the same by the opposition of the people of Hornellsville, N. Y., who supposed that she was to be taken to the South.

☞ There were 5,596 deaths in Boston during 1853.

A Lady's Praise of Spalding's Oil.

As the shadows of evening began to fall,
A Lady was dressing her hair for the ball;
Soft were the accents that fell from her tongue,
And this was the song that the lady sung—
"Away with Pomatum and Bandoline,
No more in my room shall Bear's Grease be seen,
The hair's soft texture they only spoil;
Oh, give me the Castor and Rosemary Oil—
It's made my tresses look soft and bright,
And my hair keeps its curl tho' I dance all night,
No more of grease or strong spirit for me,
But Spalding's mixture of Rosemary!"

Publications Received.

Godey for February,—a splendid number. The steel plate of the "Evening Walk," is one of the best engravings we have ever seen. The reading department of the Lady's Book is always rich and interesting. It has a full share of the colored fashions. Fowle has it.

Tower's Elements of English Grammar.—A useful and easy exercise of Grammar, valuable for the young scholar,—perfectly easy of comprehension, which is the foundation for learning. The more familiar the questions, the more truth is elicited in the answers. This Grammar is a good one. Published by Danl. Burgess & Co., John street, New York.

Peterson's Magazine for January. This Magazine is gaining in popularity, and this number will greatly advance it. The Schoolmistress and Oriental Harem, are rich engravings, and very attractive. Mrs. Stevens has no superior for the reading department. Fowle has it.

Boston Young Men's Christian Association—first annual report. This association appears to be a very useful one, and sustained by a long list of eminent men. Young men from the country, seeking employment in Boston, should join this association.

Graham for February,—one of the best monthlies published in America. The embellishment in this number, Nature and Art, is a perfect gem. The scenes in the life of Washington are full of interest. Get it at Fowle's.

Gleason's Pictorial is as usual ahead of all others.

MARRIED.

"There are moments in this fleeting life
When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

In this town, Jan. 26, by Rev. Mr. Marsters, Mr. James Leslie to Miss Clara C. Eames.

Feb. 2d, by Rev. J. Edwards, Franklin Keyes to Mary Jane Lathe.

In Lexington, Jan 31, by Rev. Mr. Crafts, Mr. David W. Johnson, of Winchester, to Miss Sarah L. Angier, of L.

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next MONDAY evening, Feb. 6, by Rev. Rollo O. Neil, of Boston.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against District No. 1 are requested to present them to the subscriber before the first day of March.

WALTER WYMAN, Prudential Committee.
Woburn, Jan. 30, 1854. tf

NOTICE.

The Rev. Mr. Reed, of Winchester, will lecture before the Working Men's Association on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6, at 7½ o'clock, at the Methodist Chapel. The public are invited to attend. G. W. KIMBALL, Sec'y.

WOBURN BANK.

A special meeting of the stockholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking-rooms, in Woburn, on Friday February 3d, at 6½ o'clock P. M., to consider the expediency of petitioning the Legislature for leave to increase the capital stock. E. J. JENKS, Cashier.
Woburn, Jan. 18, 1854. 3t

Collector's Sale.

The Proprietors of the following Lands in the town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, are notified that the same are taxed in the Tax List committed to the subscriber, collector of Taxes for said town for the year 1853, as follows:

Charles W. Green,—About ten acres of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the town line between Stoneham and South Reading, south westerly and westerly by Spring street, and northerly by land of Samuel Green.—Tax $7.65.

Elias Kingsley,—Thirty acres of land in Stoneham, near the house of Lot Sweetser, and known as the Marble Pit Lot.—Tax $7.20.

William Larabee or Successors,—Eleven and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, and bounded northerly by land of William B. Lang and Joseph Lynde, easterly by Melrose and Stoneham town line, southerly by land of James Eaton, heirs of John Lynde and land of Joseph Lynde, and westerly by land of Joseph Lynde.—Tax $4.50.

N. A. & Samuel Richardson,—Ten and three-fourths acres of land in the south westerly part of Stoneham, bounded westerly by the town line between Stoneham and Winchester, northerly by land of Darius Stevens, southerly and easterly by land of John and Marshall Symmes.—Tax $5.85.

Reading Ice Company,—Four acres of land in the north westerly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by Stoneham and South Reading town line, southerly by Smith's Pond, westerly by land formerly owned by Joseph Balister, and northerly by land formerly of John Jenkins and land of Cyrus Wakefield and land of Clarissa Gould.—Tax $4 50.

Seth Tuffts,—Six acres of land situated in Stoneham, bounded northerly by land of John Barnes, westerly by land formerly belonging to David H. Burnham, southerly by land of John Bucknam, and easterly by land of Samuel Blanchard and Main street.—Tax $2,66.

A. & J. Worcester,—One and one-third acres of land in the north westerly part of Stoneham, it being lots Nos. Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen on J. S. Eaton's Plan.—Tax $5.85.

James Eaton,—Two and a half acres of land in the south easterly part of Stoneham, it being Lot No. Eight on plan of lands in Wyoming, surveyed by Charles Whitney, bounded easterly by Wood Land Road, northerly by land now or late of W. W. Majoran, southerly by land of J. B. Eaton, and westerly by Spot Pond.

Also, about twenty and three-fourths acres of land in the southeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded northerly by Ravine Road, easterly by land of Joseph Lynde, southerly by land of Wm. Foster, and northerly by land of Wm. Foster and Charles Trull.—Tax $83.21.

A. G. Hill,—Four and three-fourths acres of land situated in the southeasterly part of Stoneham bounded northerly by land of Joseph Lynde, easterly by land of James Eaton, southerly by land formerly of Mr. Dow, and westerly by land of William Rogers.—Tax $10.17.

John F. Damon,—One-third of an acre of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, with the building thereon standing, formerly owned by Jabez Kendall, and bounded on all sides by land of Joseph Hurd.—Tax $13.05.

G. W. Messenger,—Four and seven-eighths acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, viz, it being lots Nos. one, two, three, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, on Sargent's Plan.—Tax $11,70.

Heirs or Successors of James Pratt,—Three acres of land situated in Stoneham, it being an Island in Spot Pond known by the name of Great Island.

Also about two and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, bounded southerly by the town line between Stoneham and Medford, and westerly, northerly and easterly by the shore of Spot Pond.—Tax $5.85.

Thadeus Richardson,—One and a half acres of land with house and other buildings standing thereon, bounded northerly by William's street, easterly by land of Oliver Richardson, and southerly and westerly by land of the heirs or successors of Thadeus Richardson, late of Stoneham, deceased.—Tax $8,91.

J. B. Starkeweather,—One third acre of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. six on J. S. Eaton's plan.—Tax $1.13.

Otis H. Weed,—13 500 feet of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. eleven on J. S. Eaton's plan.

Also, about one and a half acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the Boston and Maine Railroad, northerly by a street named Vernon street on J. S. Eaton's plan, and westerly by a street called Washington street, on said Eaton's plan, and southerly by land formerly owned by J. S. Edwards.—Tax $10.80.

Oliver E. Ayres,—Five-sixteenth of an acre of land in Stoneham, bounded west by land of R. H. Blanchard, south by Summer street, north by a passage-way, and east by land now or late of Luther Hill. Tax $1,94.

And if no person shall appear to discharge said Taxes and charges upon the same, on or before Saturday, March 11th, next, at one o'clock, P. M., I shall at that time proceed to sell, at my Office in Stoneham, by public auction, so much of said respective lands as shall be sufficient to discharge said Taxes, and all necessary and intervening charges.

JABEZ C. CROOKER,
Collector of Stoneham.
Stoneham, Feb. 1, 1854.—3t

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.
Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

To the Honorable Senate and the House of Representatives in General Court assembled:

The undersigned, citizens of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, pray that they may be incorporated as The Woburn Fourpenny Savings Institution, with all the necessary powers and privileges.

STEPHEN DOW and others.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In Senate, Jan. 27, 1854.

On the Petition aforesaid, Ordered, That the petitioner cause an attested copy of their petition, with this order thereon, to be published once in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, three days, at least, before the tenth day of February next, that all persons interested may then appear, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Sent down for concurrence.

CHAS. CALHOUN, Clerk.

In the House of Representatives, Jan. 27, 1854.
Concurred. William Stowe, Clerk.

A true Copy, Attest.
CHAS. CALHOUN, Clerk of the Senate.
feb4 1t

O. LAPPEN & CO.,
(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Safes, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.
jan 21 tf

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimmings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.
Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.
Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.
At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.
jan 21.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.
jan 14 3t

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Caleb French, an insolvent debtor, are requested to make payment to Tho's J. Porter, immediately, and all persons having mutual and unsettled accounts, are requested to present them for adjustment, to the subscriber.

THO'S J. PORTER, Assignee.
Woburn, January 9th, 1854. 4t

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.
dec31 3w

CLOTHING.

THE subscriber will keep constantly on hand and for sale a general assortment of Ready-made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods, cheap for Cash.

Please call at WM. A. MILES'.
dec31 4w.

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, } *Commissioners.*
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }

Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.

Have now opened their entire importation of

6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.

Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.

We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that

A More Full and Desirable Assortment

IS NOT TO BE FOUND.

Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.

We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.

Chandler & Co.

Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.

nov5 tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER'S BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.

nov5 tf

IRON SINK.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

DR. SCALES,

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
Dec.31. 2w

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at
W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by
L. THOMPSON, Jr

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. UNION.

Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat
sept. 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

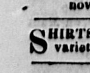
GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by
A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

HOUSE FOR SALE.



A small house, situated on Court street, containing six rooms, wood-shed, and shoe maker's shop; in every way convenient for a small family. Will be sold very cheap, and on easy terms, if applied for soon. Enquire of N BODWEL, on the premises. dec24tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, No. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*

E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't,* W. T. Hooker.
Secretary, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies
June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

New Stock of Ladies' Cloths.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received their entire importation of Cloths for LADIES' CLOAKS AND DRESSES.

Comprising various grades, from medium to the finest qualities manufactured, and in shades of color unsurpassed in beauty

The assortment of the above goods now being complete, purchasers are reminded that the present is the most favorable time to make satisfactory selections.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail,

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

nov5 tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by
THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

COCOA, Bone and Ivory hadled Knives and Forks, at
sept. 10. WM. WOODBERRY'S

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE

SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

Boston Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. Eastman & Co: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Farm for Sale in Winchester,

ABOUT one mile from the Depot, consisting of 15 acres of choice land, with a good 2 story house, barn and shed, an aqueduct of spring water that never fails There is on this land an orchard of about two acres, containing apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, or about 15 years growth, all in bearing. This land is of the border of Winter Pond, and pleasantly situated for building purposes.

For further particulars inquire of GEORGE WYMAN, on the premises, or of GARDNER SYMMES, Main street, Winchester.

Winchester, Nov. 15th, 1853. tf

CHANGE IN BUSINESS.

CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO.,

FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.
oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, wity file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

OATS AND POTATOES.

5000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by
THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by
JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

Now is the Time

TO subscribe for the **Phrenological and Water Cure Journals**, for 1854. The *cheapest* and *best* papers in the United States. 62½ cents per year, each. R. H. HOWARD, *Agent,* Woburn, Mass.
dec24 4w

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

may28tf

MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price...All Representations Warranted

au 24 1y

HUNTING & EATON,

EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,

HERMAN HUNTING, }
MARCUS EATON, } BOSTON

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated

TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS,

SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

—OF—

Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS!

RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,

Rich Piece Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW

One Price Cash System,

—AT—

OAK HALL CLOTHING HOUSE,

NORTH STREET,

oct29 BOSTON. 8t

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.

FOWLE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—

FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " " "
BROCADE SILKS.
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon. HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.

Woburn, Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

FUN FOR THE BOYS!

WINTER AT HAND!

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W. H. OSGOOD,
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Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

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FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

EARTH'S MOURNER.

Within a dim Cathedral, whose walls were old and grey
A pale, sad being lingered—lingered there to pray;
With trembling step and downcast eye the long aisle sadly trod,
And bowing at the altar's foot she raised her heart to God.

In agony her head she laid upon the cold, damp stone,
And murmured forth, despairingly, "alone! oh, all alone!"
The crimson sunset threw its rays within those ancient walls,
And on the sorrow-stricken one the crimson light still falls

It fades away, and twilight casts grim shadows all around,
But still no consolation has that youthful mourner found.
She prays, "oh, give him back, I cannot live alone!"
And through the long dark aisles comes the echo's answering tone.

Long years have passed away, long years of grief and care,
And at the same old altar, again she kneels in prayer;
A broken and a contrite heart she offers up to heaven;
And now indeed an answering voice from God to her is given.

O, heavenly light is in her eye, despair has left her brow
From earth her trust is taken, it rests in Jesus now;
In soft, glad tones she renders thanks that earth's victory is won,
And murmurs forth, rejoicingly, "Thy will, not mine be done."

H. A. King.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

HOUSING AND PAINTING FARM VEHICLES.

It is strange what a difference there is among farmers with regard to the importance of housing their wagons and carts. Prudent, economical men, in most things, are wholly insensible to the great loss they experience by allowing their expensive vehicles to be beaten upon and soaked by the storms, and checked and shrunk by the blazing sun.

Wagons and carts from the maker's shop are seldom well-painted. The owner gets so anxious to be using his new cart, and the old one seems so unbearable, that the cart is taken from the shop before the little openings in the wood and the joints are half filled with paint, —the farmer "guesses it will do," and away it goes to commence a straight-forward course to decay. A few days after, it rains. The cart body is soaked through. The joints absorb water and swell. By-and-by, when the water has dried out, after having been dragged about the farm for several days, the joints become loose. This process needs only to be repeated a sufficient number of times to give you a heavy, rickety body, which, in a few years, breaks up and sends you to the mechanic again.

But the wheels are the most important part Upon them has the most labor been expended in proportion to their weight, and of them should the most care be taken. The hubs, generally, are made of elm. Elm, exposed to the weather, is of short duration. It is used because it is difficult to split it in driving the spokes. White-oak hubs invariably check and open, when uncovered by paint, and exposed to the weather. White-oak timber—indeed all timber, loses its strength and tenacity after being again and again exposed to rain and air. The hub then grows soft, the spokes settle into it a very little, and the consequence is that the tire is loose, and the blacksmith's aid is needed.

A wagon left out of doors will in a few years become a spongy, heavy mass, unprofitable to use. As proof of the correctness of these remarks, we know of a farmer who has run down three sets of wheels by exposure, and not by work, while another has a pair of wheels perfectly sound, built a year or two before his neighbor's first pair. In the first case the wheels have never been housed, winter nor summer; but have been left by the road-side, as if impregnable as the stone wall to injury from the weather. In the other case the cart has been uniformly housed, and always well painted. It must be very intelligible to the reader which is the wiser course.

Setting Fruit Trees.—The question has been very broadly discussed this last fall, whether autumnal or spring transplanting of fruit trees is best? The subject has been introduced into nearly all our agricultural exchanges, and we find them generally agreeing:—

1. That no tree should be set where standing water will cover its roots through a considerable portion of the winter and spring; leaving the inference that the first important operation in planting an orchard is thorough draining, if the ground requires it.

2. That trees may be transplanted with the best success while in a state of repose; that is, from the time when the leaves have fallen, to that when the ground begins to freeze, and that if left until spring, they must be taken up before the sap is in motion.

3. That more depends upon the manner in which the work is done, than upon the particular season.

Mr. George Norwood, of Ingraham's Corner, West Camden, Waldo county, Maine, raised the last season, from one pumpkin seed, 22 pumpkins which weighed 176 pounds. The vines ran to the enormous length of 889 feet.

Horticulture is that great gift of God to man, which makes desert places into gardens, and so beautifies the abodes of men as to resemble Paradise. Buildings without Horticulture, are but landmarks in a wilderness.

Thirty Bakewell sheep, raised in New Jersey, five years old, and estimated to dress 160 pounds each, each rolled up in a woolly covering almost half a foot deep, were sold for $18 apiece in New York last week.

Health for the Afflicted!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disorderd stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper.

I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor Holloway,

Dear Sir—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, Dropsy, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

(Signed) EDWARD ROWLEY.

A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor Holloway

Dear Sir,—I have much pleasure in handing to you a testimonial of the efficacy of your Medicines. A person in this neighbournood with whom I am well acqnainted was afflicted for a long time with violent spasmodic pains in the stomach and liver, arising from frequent colds, smells of paint, and the effects of a stooping position which he was obliged to assume in his buisness. The spasms were of an alarming character, and frequently left him in a weak and debilitated condition. At length he heard of the salutary effects of your invluable Pills, and was induced to give them a trial. The first dose gave him considerable relief, and by following them up in accordance with your directions, they have acted so wonderfully in cleansing the liver and stomach, and strengthening the digestive organs that he has been restored to the enjoyment of good health. I remain, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

(Signed) WM. BOSTOCK.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague,	Fevers of all kinds,	Scrofula, or King's Evil,
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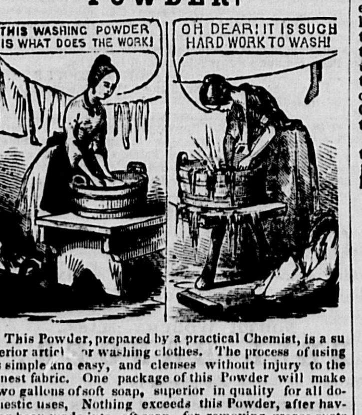

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Dec. 11th, 1852. tf

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I find many who like the plan. In a word you will be dealt with as if I expect to see you again. Try me once and see if these things be true.

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uly30 ly **GEO. N. NICHOLS.**

REMOVAL.

Dr. Clough, Surgeon Dentist, has taken rooms in the first building south of Tremont Temple, and nearly opposite the Tremont house, where he will be happy to see his friends and all those who may need the service Dentist. jau. 22 tf

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

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BOOK-KEEPING.

Those wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. A. BOUTELLE.

Woburn, Dec 20, 1853.

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There has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical *pill*, but not easy to make the best of all *pills*—one which should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These *pills* produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the complaints which have been speedily cured by them, we may mention Liver Complaint, in its various forms of Jaundice, Indigestion, Languor and Loss of Appetite, Listlessness, Irritability, Bilious Headache, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side and Loins; for, in truth, all these are but the consequence of diseased action in the liver. As an aperient, they afford prompt and sure relief in Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds with soreness of the body, Ulcers and impurity of the blood; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence an occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousand cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to employ when in need of a cathartic medicine.

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This remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. And not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, &c.; and for Children it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

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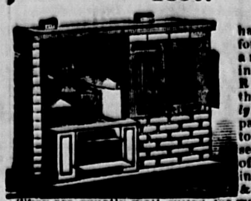

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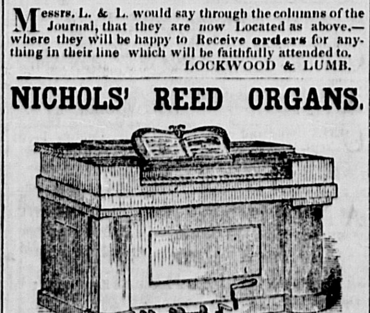

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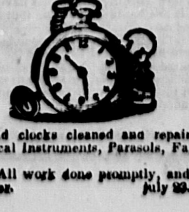

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And the ice-berg rides o'er the gleaming tides,
In the flush of the Northern Light.

Pale gems embossed with a silvery frost
Are the spray of the glittering brine,
And the jeweled strand by that fairy land,
Yields a part of its wealth to thine.

The gift I bring, on my broad, white wing,
And it falls in a feathery snow,
When dense clouds lie in the leaden sky,
And the turf is brown below.

When, stripped and bound, on the bare hills round,
The shivering trees complain,
And the slumbering stream in a moaning dream
Still gnaws at his icy chain.

Wan Autumn grieves o'er the golden leaves—
The hoard of a life of cares—
But, locked from sight in a casket white,
I will keep them for his heirs.

Though the merry Spring is a spendthrift thing,
In the flush of her youthful hours,
And the gathered gold will be pledged and sold
By her, for a wreath of flowers.

But the precious trust of the hoarded dust
Shall be safe beneath my wing;—
For the eagle's nest on the mountain's crest,
I will watch for the fair young thing;

Till, bursting amain from his silvery chain,
The brook leaps high to the shore,
And the trees rejoice at the welcome voice
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Till the violet waves o'er the sodden graves,
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THE UNFORTUNATE.

BY THEKLA—THE RECLUSE.

The unfortunate are every where. The city holds hundreds of this class, and the little village which has to the eye the appearance of solid enjoyment, holds within its embrace many a poor unfortunate being. Not prosperous, always getting the little end of the bargain, is the tune often sung by this class of beings. "Why did fortune frown on me?" is the question they often ask themselves. "Why did she rob me of my gold and another revel in that which was truly mine?" Stop a moment. I once saw a man, a middle aged man, seated beneath a large elm tree that shaded the public street. His face was pale his form haggard, and his every look that of sorrow and despair. I gazed upon him with a feeling of deep anxiety, and my heart yearned to know something of this (to all outward appearance) unfortunate man. I gave him a friendly salute, and received a gentlemanly answer in return. I had just passed one of the most stately and most beautiful residences New England can boast of The stranger was seated near the gateway of the avenue that led up to the mansion. I looked upon his clothes, they were once of fine broadcloth, but were now very thin, and in some places almost threadbare. His eyes rested upon some dandelion and buttercup flowers that grew on the bank beside him. I had a desire to look into his eyes, but as he kept them fastened upon the wild flowers, I could not catch sight of them. I stood beside the same tree that shaded him, and his words, though faint and few, fell sweetly, yes, tenderly upon my soul. The steps of a passer-by now elicited our attention. I recognized the man to be an old acquaintance. He approached the spot where the stranger sat, and after we had interchanged a few thoughts he cast his eyes upon the wayfaring man that sat gazing upon the flowers, and letting fall my hand, he sprang to the side of the traveller, and grasping his hand, exclaimed, "My old friend H———, how glad I am to see you. I had not heard of your arrival, and concluded you were yet in England." The traveller stood upon his feet, lifted his well worn hat, and gave my friend a hearty greeting. I then took a good survey of the personage in traveller's garb, and found one of the most intellectual and benevolent countenances I ever looked upon. His eyes would occasionally glance toward the splendid mansion I have alluded to, and as they did so, tears would dim his sight. I strolled along toward my destined home, leaving the traveller conversing with my friend. I had gone but a little way when my friend overtook me and gave me the history of the grief worn, and sorrow stricken man that rested beneath the shady elm by the road side. "You see," said my friend addressing me, "that elegent residence on the right as you came along, that, and all these beautful gardens, those rich fields adjoining, all belonged, rightfully belonged to the traveller you was talking with."

"And how, pray tell me how," said I, "came he to be so unfortunate as to loose such a large and good property?"

"I shudder as I think of it," said my friend.

"Was he a gambler? did he become poor by living beyond his means? or did the poisonous cup tempt him in an unguarded hour, and gradual at first, but sure and fatal as the poisonous viper, at the last, rob him of friends and home?"

"No, no," said my friend, "I dare not mention his wrongs to the youthful mind, lest the sins of the trangressor turn many feet from the path of duty."

"What was the traveller's name?" I then enquired.

"H———," said my friend.

"Has he friends here?" said I.

"A brother."

"Where does he live?"

"In that splendid house near by where he sat."

"Bless me," said I, "and did he, that good and religious man, wrong his brother in that manner? Had he not have better become poor, and say to the world, I have no gold, than to injure such a kind heart as that which beat in the breast of that poor traveller?"

"He wronged him, he bitterly wronged his brother," said my friend, "and he now wanders about homeless, and broken-hearted."

Poor unfortunate brother man, who can tell the anguish, the bitter anguish that is hid in thy breast. In the spring time and harvest, in the cool days of autumn, and the piercing hours of winter, there are hearts that are ever happy, homes that are always the same to look upon, surrounded with all the heart can desire, or the eyes delight to gaze upon, knowing no want, every want is gratified. And when we see these things let us pause, and ask ourselves if all these temporal things may not have been wrenched from some poor unfortunate fellow man. God have pity upon the cast down, and down trodden sons of man. Oh! may we do better, live better, and whether wealth or poverty be our portion below, may we never forget the unfortunate.

HAZEL GREEN, 1854.

SINOPE—THE COAST OF PONTUS IN ASIA MINOR.—The following notice of Sinope where the recent battle was fought between the Turks and Russians, will at the present moment be read with interest:

"A stroll on shore to see the place and sketch it from the circling beach agreeably filled up a long lovely evening. The sun had veiled his bloodshot eyes behind a dark bank of clouds, leaving lurid tints of purple and yellow to pervade earth, air and water. The wind hushed; the bay, as frozen over; town silent as sleep or death, not even one twittering bird, to break the stillness of our walk; fishermen drawing their net languidly, pendant sails wooing the breeze in vain, and lazy oars unimproved along the boats' sides; all Sinope the embodiment of calm repose in its highest ideality. The temples, palaces and porticoes, erected by a powerful line of kings, have been levelled with the dust. Nought remains of so much magnificence save a dirty or enial town of a thousand wretched houses, surrounded by crumbling walls, and tottering towers of Byzantine construction. Almost equally a wreck is the enormous hull of an embryo two-deck, which stands unlaunched on the stocks; built here where timber and work are cheap; never finished; allowed to rot. Does this fact elucidate the subject? Alas for Sinope.

The ancient capital of Pontus under that great man Milbridates Eupator, and the birthplace of that great beast Diogenes the Cynic, originally a colony of the Milesians, and deriving its name from an amphibious young lady who was the unnatural off-spring of a river and a town, the Asopue and Methone, after she had eloped hither with a third element, Appollo or the Sun, shows indeed but few traces of such illustrious antecedents. Many fragments of ancient architectural art, however, such as broken columns, mutilated cornices, and half-defaced inscriptions on architraves and sepulchral stones, have been made use of in raising these feeble fortifications, and they still attest what Sinope once was; while the quarries above the town, whence one of the calcerous beds in the trachytic rock overlaid by a black volcanic formation seems to have furnished its building materials, tell an eloquent tale of its sudden downfall, for large blocks lie there hewn and ready for removal, some sculptured, and some actually on their way to the city. We saw also the picturesque ruins of an acqueduct, designed by Pliny the Younger to supply the Sinopians with good water from a distance of sixteen miles; and the ancient mole can be distinguished under the sea, enclosing a considerable space along the shore, and leaving only a narrow entrance for galleys, but many of the great square stones composing it have been worn and displaced by the action of the waves with the aid of the universal destroyer, Time."

PAINFUL BUT LAUGHABLE. In "Notes of an Army Surgeon," we find the following:—

I remember one day in making my hospital rounds, a patient just arrived presented an amputated forearm, and doing so could scarcely restrain a broad laugh; the titter was constantly on his face.

"What is the matter? this does not strike me as a subject for laughter."

"It is not, doctor, but excuse me; I lost my arm in so funny a way that I still laugh when I look at it."

"What way?"

"Our first sergeant wanted shaving, and got me to attend to it, as I am corporal. We went together in front of his tent; I had lathered him, took him by the nose, and was just applying the razor, when a cannon ball came, and that was the last I saw of his head and my arm Excuse me, doctor, for laughing so, but I never saw such a thing before"

This occurred during the siege of Fort Erie.

ON THE DISTRIBUTION OF ANIMALS.

BY PROF. AGASSIZ.

Nothing is more difficult for the Geologist than to determine the chronology of modern deposits. This requires minute investigation, so many things are to be considered. With the older geological formations the difficulty is by no means so great. Suppose another mountain chain like that of the Rocky Mountains, the Alps, the Himalaya, or the Caucasus should be elevated, what a change would be made in the superficial strata of the globe!

Before the period of the drift in this country, corals were forming much farther to the North than they form at present, for the finer materials of the drift are found deposited upon such a coralline growth. These corals could only have been developed in a warmer climate, and consequently this portion of the continent must have enjoyed a warmer climate than at present. We find now in the northern part of our hemisphere the remains of animals not to be found in the tropios; the mammoth elephant, Siberian rhinoceros, and other pachyderms: these are found in the Northern regions of Europe also, and indicate that the Arctic Zone once was warmer than now. The state of the preservation of these animals shows that they were suddenly overtaken by a change of climate, as in the case of the recently discovered elephant, the skin and flesh of which were so well preserved as to be attacked and consumed by dogs and wolves. They must have existed thousands and thousands of years ago, even before man was created; and yet this animal appears now, on the thawing of the ice, in a perfect state of preservation. If this were the only instance, we might suppose it to be the result of some local accident; but their remains are said to be found, partially preserved, in great numbers, their bones even actually forming piles. They must have been as numerous as other species now living in Africa. It is not possible that they could have been transported after death, their remains are so perfect and connected. They must have been suddenly overtaken by a cold climate.

It has been supposed that the globe has changed its axis of rotation, and that what is now the Arctic Circle was originally a warmer region; but this cannot have been the case. We cannot explain this sudden change, but must take the facts as they are, and await a satisfactory solution of the difficulty.

If the climate was once warmer, we would expect to find remains of animals now living in more tropical regions, and this is the case. They are found farther North than they now exist.

The limits of the direct influence of the glaciers may be traced about to the Middle States, their indirect influence exhibiting itself farther to the South by the melting of the ice and consequent deposits. We can establish a certain chronology of this warm season, of the subsequent ice period, and of the drift period. The earliest reefs formed during the warm period at the North; they advanced further southward during the ice period of the North; they advanced still further South during the period of the drift at the North; and the stratified deposits upon them took place last when the finest materials, conveyed by the melting waters of the North, had reached them. At the close of the ice period, the North was a sheet of unstratified drift, wavy with hills. Then our lakes commenced to form, and our rivers to furrow their present channels. Their origin was the melting ice, and the rivers then began to excavate the very beds whose course they now follow. Whenever a flat beach is laid dry at low water, the retiring sea makes channels in the sand, and smaller channels also form laterally, opening in different directions into those main channels. If we look upon a map of our coast, this can be seen on a large scale in Deleware and Chesapeake bays, with the rivers flowing into them. The little channels in the sand are the miniatures of these works of the melting glaciers. The islands along our coast are formed of the same kind of drift as the opposite shore, and were many of them originally portions of the main land, separated from i by the waters in channeling their course to the sea. The fresh waters on their surfaces may lie in their original beds and be inhabited by the same animals as before existed there previous to their separation from the main land. There is no necessity for supposing that these islands have been formed in the sea and afterwards supplied with life from the contiguous shores. The islands of Boston harbor were once parts of the continuous sheet of drift which forms the main land, which have been isolated by the currents and tides.

Geologists do not all agree in interpreting the physical phenomena of this country, much less do they agree upon a chronology. We must be satisfied of this, that the drift has preceded the terrestrial animals. To understand the distribution of animal life in North America, we must learn what position they occupy upon other quarters of the globe. The fact is well known that animals of different continents are not the same, nor even animals of different parts of the same continent. But it is by no means so well known that animals are localized within precise limits where certain climacteric conditions exist which are to be investigated by the physical geographer. Following the line around the earth, where the average temperature during the year is 32° Fahr., we find the limits of forest vegetation. North of this, vegetation is limited and stunted, and we find animals of a peculiar kind, existing nowhere else. All around the globe in this Arctic Fanua, we find the polar bear, the blue fox or white fox, the moose, the reindeer, the polar hare; the walrus and the Greenland seals; birds of the lowest families, with web feet, petrels, cormorants, divers, ducks and geese. Reptiles are wanting, and insects rare and only of the lowest orders.

The articulata are principally marine worms, and crustaceans. There are many jelly-fish, star-fish and echini, but few polyps and none forming corals. It is an incorrect idea that life is almost distinct in this glacial zone; vegetation is stunted and dwarfish, but animal life by no means is deficient. The different species are not so numerous, their beauty and brightness of color is not so marked nor so diversified as in the tropics. What they may have of inferiority in species and beauty is made up in size and number of individuals. The whales are well known for their gigantic size. Fish also are innumerable: amongst them are the salmon, white fish, sturgeon, cat fish and suckers. On this continent the Arctic Fanua extends farther South on the Eastern than on the Western Coast.

South of the artic fauna and commencing where this leaves off, we find another class of animals constituting the Temperate Fanua. The southern boundary of this fauna is not so well defined as the northern, for in this region are high mountains and table lands, establishing a far colder temperature in certain portions than in others, and fitting them for the abode of the animals of the arctic zone.

In the colder parts at the north, the trees lose their foliage at the end of the season, except the pines and spruces, these last prevailing; further south the deciduous trees prevail; and still further south are found the palm and other tropical trees. The temperate fauna of Asia extends all over its eastern portion, over several other isolated regions, and over the north of Africa, and indicates the European character of these regions.

In Europe the northern boundaries of the temperate fauna are the Alps and the Pyrenees. The animals of this zone are very similar on both continents, although the extent of country over which they are found is immense. The same families, often the same genera, but generally different species are found on both continents. They bear the same relation to each other as the vegetation of the same regions.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN MASSACHUSETTS.—From the eleventh report to the legislature, relating to the registry and returns of births, marriages and deaths in Massachusetts, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1852, prepared by the secretary of state, it appears that the whole number of births in the state during the year was 29,702—an increase of 1121 over the previous year—of which 15,246 were males, 14,432 females, and the sex of 124 is unknown; 17,255 were of American parentage, 10,991 of foreign, and 1556 the parentage is unknown.

The whole number of marriages was 11,578, of which 7702 were Americans, 3767 foreigners, and 100 unknown.

The whole number of deaths 18,582; males 8978, females 9395, unknown 108. The average of age throughout the State is 27 78-100.

During the three years preceding 1852, the number of births of children of foreign parents amounted to 24,523, or 29.87 per cent. of all the births in the Commonwealth. The year 1852 shows an increase in the birth of this description, an also an increase in the per cental. There were four cases of triplets during the year 1852, and 590 "plurality cases."

During the four years ending 1852, there were born in Massachusetts 3961 more males than females, the totals being 57,661 males, 53,700 females.

Of the deaths, (18,482,) 4155, 1663 males and 2482 females, were of consumption, 1018 of dysentery, 126 of apoplexy, 293 of inflammation of bowels, 249 of disease of do., 327 of inflammation of brain, 193 of disease of do., 180 of cancer, 160 in childbirth, 377 of cholera infantum, 429 of croup, 31 of delirium tremens, 163 of erysipelas, 191 drowned, 617 of typhus fever, 120 of fits, 2 of gout, 435 of disease of heart, 166 of hooping cough, 19 of heat, 440 of hydrocephalus, 1160 of infantile diseases, 45 of intemperance, 37 of insanity, 124 of disease of liver, 80 of disease of lungs, 157 of marasmus, 141 of measles, 960 of old age, 283 paralysis, 64 pleurisy, 821 pheumonia, 13 poisoned, 69 rheumatism, 843 scarlatina, 90 scrofula, 46 disease of spine, 76 suicide, 309 teething, 420 unknown.

WOMAN'S BEAUTY. It is not the smiles of a pretty face, nor the tint of her complexion, nor the beauty and symmetry of her person, nor the costly dress or decoration that compose woman's loveliness. Nor is it the enchanting glance of her eye with which she darts such lustre on the man she deems worthy of friendship, that constitutes her beauty. It is her pleasing deportment, her chaste conversation, the sensibility and purity of her thoughts, her affable and open disposition, her sympathy with those in adversity, her comforting and relieving the afflicted in distress, and, above all, the humbleness of her soul, that constitutes the true loveliness of woman.

Remarkable Natural Curiosity.

We were favored this morning by Mr. Wm. Carlow, with a description of the singular cave, recently discovered, in Calaveras county. Mr. C. has paid a visit to the cave in question, and his information can be relied upon as authentic.

It was discovered, not long since, by a Frenchman, who was clearing the ground around its mouth, in order to turn the course of a spring creek, near by. The location of the cave is on the trail leading from Abbott's ferry on the Stanislaus to Murphy's camp, in Calaveras county, about one mile and a half from the river. Notwithstanding the fact that, for some years, a great deal of passing to and fro, near the entrance of the cave, has been constantly going on, no discovery was ever made previous to the one by the Frenchman. This will not be so great a matter of wonder, when it is understood that the mouth or entrance is but three or four feet in diameter, and in order to enter the cave proper, one must descend some sixty feet, in nearly a perpendicular direction. The first fifteen feet of the descent is so steep that a notched tree is necessary to effect its passage, in lieu of a ladder,. At the foot of the tree is a ledge of rock, and below, another. These projections shooting out afford a foothold for adventurers to the base of the shaft, upon reaching which, a large chamber is found, in connection with others, of larger and smaller dimensions. The air is pure, permitting a candle to burn steadily. The chamber is encircled by shelving rocks, underneath which, and scattered over the floor, are quantities of human bones, comprising many skulls, all in a good state of preservation, only the cellular structure of the bones of the face having disappeared; they are smaller than the general average size of the same, the bones comprising them being quite thin. Very many of the bones are petrified. One, a thigh bone, has been broken near the middle, and is lapped some three inches, both extremities having undergone complete petrifaction.

The Indians, although questioned closely as to their knowledge of the cave, manifest nothing but ignorance of it presence; and whether it was the burial place of the red man at some remote period, or the den of wild beasts, who dragged their captives there to devour them, will in all probability remain as it is a profound secret. Some light might be thrown upon the subject by an examination of the skulls, and as there is supposed to be individuals in the medical profession in this State who have made themselves conversant with crainology, perhaps a trip to this cave and an examination of the skulls would give some further clue to the knowledge of the race which so evidently inhabited the continent before the different savage tribes whom Columbus and other great and early discoverers found resident throughout the length and breadth of this land. [From the San Francisco Weekly Journal of Nov.

WASHINGTON AND WASHINGTON IRVING.—The following incident, says the Buffalo Courier, was narrated by Mr. Irving:—

"Mr. Irving said that he remembered Gen. Washington perfectly. He said there was some celebration—some public affair going on in New York, and the Gen. was there to participate in the ceremony. 'My nurse,' said Mr. I., 'a good old Scotch woman, was very anxious for me to see him, and held me up in her arms as he rode past. This, however, did not satisfy her; so the next day, when walking with me in Broadway, she espied him in a shop; she seized my hand, and darting in, exclaimed in her bland Scotch—'Please your excellency, here's a bairn that's called after ye!' Gen. Washington then turned his benevolent face full upon me, smiled, laid his hand upon my head, and gave me his blessing which, added Mr. Irving, earnestly, 'I have reason to believe has attended me through life. I was but five years old, yet I can feel that hand upon my head even now!'"

SPIRITUALISM. Judge Edmonds, in his late lecture at Worcester, as we learn from the Spy, gave the following fact, as confirming the doctrine of spiritual interest in the affairs of men:—"Before any accounts had been received from the San Francisco steamer, a medium in New York, had received and written out a full account of her loss, of the rescue of a portion of her passengers, by the three ships, of the number that was lost, with a particular description of the persons and dress of the two female passengers whose names were not known; and that the account agreed entirely with the facts as afterwards ascertained."

VENISON. The quantities of this game brought to and passing through this city during the past few weeks, is altogether without precedent. We are told that the number frequently reaches as high as fifty or sixty per day. It is said that the great fires which raged in the woods of Central and Southern Michigan during the first part of December, drove the deer down in this direction, and this is supposed to be the cause of their being so much more plenty than ever before. Five and six are often killed by a single hunter in one day—in fact, the woods for fifty miles north are little else than a grand slaughter-yard for these animals. [Toledo Republic.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, FEB. 11, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Thesla's article is interesting—it will be found on our first page.

A Farmer of Reading, comes to us in rhyme. We give him a place.

B., of Winchester, is always welcome. His variety is very entertaining. Will appear in next number.

P. R. we are hardly able to decipher. Correspondents must endeavor to write more legible, if they expect to have their writings inserted.

L.—We have received your poetic effusion, and think we will give it a place. We love to encourage the young.

G. M. F., our traveling correspondent, is very interesting. We expect something racy from "way down South," next week.

EDITORIAL.

EUROPE.

To a close observer of national affairs, the Europe of to-day presents a most remarkable position; and it is really a most difficult thing to judge, with any degree of certainty, as to the termination of the troubles that now threaten the peace of all Europe. To us, in America, who are so entirely free from the fears of civil or outwrrd wars, it is really interesting to look on and behold the course of events that seem to be tending to a general outbreaking of a political volcano in Europe.

The events of '48 seemed to commence the rumbling movements that indicated the labors of the volcano, and although the Republic was but for a day, yet the results of that revolution are being felt hourly in Europe,—the people seem to be gradually awakening from their torpid state, and feeling their power, are evidently preparing for the time when the strong holds of monarchy shall be overthrown by them.

We almost think we can look forward to the time when the Russian Bear shall be bearded in his den, and although our wishes may be father to the idea, yet we think we can see in the end of this Russian and Turkish struggle, that the Czar will come out of it completely the worse for his vile attempt to extend unrighteously his power.

Should the position that Russia has taken be maintained by her, we shall soon gaze on such a sight as the world has not seen for centuries. With England, France and Turkey on the one hand, and Russia, Austria and their allies on the other, some terrible battles may be expected, and with such antagonists it would take a long time to decide as to who would have the mastery.. While we hold ourselves to be peace men, we cannot but "hope for the best," so far as Russia's getting a good whipping is concerned.

If we see in our day a general European war, it will be a glorious position that our Republic can take, to be entirely neutral, and to welcome to our shores the outcasts; and it is gratifying to know that we have room enough and to spare for all those who desire to find a new home on American shores.

☞ The newly published volume of census returns, containing, as it does, upward of eleven hundred quarto pages, mostly of figures, will be an inexhaustible mine for the statician. The following table, compiled from different pages of it, is full of interest:

	Population.	Dwellings.	Families.
U. States	19,987,589	3,362,142	3,598,045
G. Britian	20,816,351	3,648,347	4,313,386
Ireland	6,515,794	1,047,735	not giv'n.
Austria	36,514,397	not given.	8,218,597
Prussia	16,331,187	do	2,691,055

For the want of a systematic registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths, in all the States, the statements under this head for the United States are unreliable. That is, the number reported under each head is too small. The number of births in the United States is put down at 548,835; marriages, 197,029: deaths, 271,890. In England and Wales, births, 593,422; marriages, 141,599; deaths. 368,996. In Prussia, births, 691,562; marriages, 148,892; deaths. 498,862.

The number of persons in the United States engaged in commerce, trade and manufactures, is put down at 1,596,260; in agriculture, 2,400,583; government offices, 24,966. In Great Britian the occupations of the people are divided thus: Commerce, trade and manufactures, 3,092,787; agriculture, 1,490,785; government offices, 16,865.

The Census, unabridged, has already been laid upon the desks of the Members of Congress. An abridgement more convenient, and quite as useful to many is in preparation. Each member will have for distribution nearly a thousand copies of the Abstract. This will make a book of about 600 octavo pages. [N. Y. Tribune.

☞ The birth-day of Robert Burns was celebrated at Clinton. The editor of the Clinton Courant acted as toast-master on the occasion. A characteristic letter from Peter Snooks, the indomitable supporter and standard bearer of Ensign Stebbing, was read, and also a "missile" from Mrs. Partington, which was greeted with loud "declamation:"

Boston, Jan. 22. 1854.

My Dear sir,—I was delighted with your invocation to take dinner with Mr. Burns, but feeling the reproach of old agedness, I must deny myself the pleasure of meat ing with you and him. When I got your missile by Mr. Mose—it should have been Most—I didn't think at first what Burns he meant. I tho't it might be something about Rooshy salve—but Isaac, (who writes this,) a very smart and quick boy, soon diskivered that it meant Mr. Robert Burns, the poet, who he says is a very re'pectable man, and has writ a good many things that has been printed—so I feel a sort of sisterly infection for him. Please to tell him so, and give him this toast, made out of good Scotch barley bread, and wash it down with Shushon tea:

Burns—a name that warms by its very sound, and touches, as with a living coal, every soul that it worth saving.

Isaac spells this toast to please himself.

Yours, very respectively,
Ruth Partington, her ⋈ mark.
By Ike Partington, Boston.

☞ A table of returns of the Massachusetts Poor, prepared by the Secretary of State for the year 1853, has been printed. It informs us that the whole number of persons relieved or supported as paupers during the year was 26,414. Suffolk county claims 9990, or more than one-third of this number. Essex comes next, with 3597; then Middlesex, with 3333; Bristol 2513; Worcester 2334, and Norfolk 1276. Of the above, 14,831, or nearly three-fifths, were State paupers. The State paupers included among their number 10,014 foreigners, from England and Ireland.

The whole number of Almshouses in the State was, at the close of the year, 197, of which Worcester had the greatest number—47. The number of persons relieved in Almshouses was 12,242, or about 3392 on the average. Those aided and supported out of Almshouses, amount to 14,398 in all. The value of the labor performed by the paupers was $19,679, and the net expense $465,599. Of the whole number of paupers (26,414) 972 are supposed to have been reduced to that condition by insanity or idiocy, and 16,034, or nearly two-thirds, by reason of intemperance in themselves or others.

The number of pauper children in the State, under the age of fourteen years, was 2630, of which 1537 were males, and 1093 females. Suffolk, Middlesex, Worcester, Norfolk and Bristol, maintained by far the largest proportion of these. The records of Dukes county show the smallest number—comprising only two little girls.

☞ The amount invested in school houses in Boston is $1,500,000. The yearly appropriations for education are $1,200,000, while the amount raised for all other city expenses is only $870,000. The amount expended for instruction in the common schools of Massachusetts last year was $4 50 for each child between five and fifteen years of age in the State. This is unquestionably the best commentary ever afforded upon Boston influence; if there be any city out of the State of Massachusetts which touches the outer edge of the shadow of an approach to it, we know not where the place is.

☞ The following ancient reminder that Franklin was for once of the people, and wore unmentionables and things, is found in an old Pennsylvania Gazette, of Feb. 22d, 1758. In the glory that is thrown about great men we are apt to forget their humility, and necessity for small clothes:

"Stolen, on the 15th inst., by one William Lloyd, out of the house of Benj. Franklin, an halt-worn Sagathee Coat, lin'd with Silk, four fine homespun Shirts, a fine Holland Shirt, ruffled at the hands and bosom, a pair of black broadcloth Breeches, new seated and lin'd with Leather, two pair of good worsted Stockings, one a dark color, and the other a lightish blue, a coarse Cambric Handkerchief, marked with an F in red Silk, a new pair of Calf Skin Shoes, a Boy's new Castor Hat, and sundry other Things.

N. B.—The said Lloyd pretends to understand Latin and Greek, and has been a School master, He is an Irishman about 30 Years of Age, tall and slim. Had on a lightesh Colour'd Great Coat, red Jacket, a pair of black silk Breeches, an old felt Hat too little for him, and sewed on the side of the Crown with white Thread, and an old dark colour'd Wig: but may perhaps wear some of the stolen Clothes above mentioned.

Whoever secures the said Thief so that he may be brought to Justice, shall have *Thirty Shillings* Reward, and reasonable charges paid by B. FRANKLIN.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22d, 1738-9."

☞ From San Francisco the export of gold for the year, as manifested in the Custom House returns, was $67,873, 505. The total product of the mines during the five years ten months and a half since the discovery, is estimated at two hundred and sixty millions.

☞ The territory to be acquired under the treaty with Mexico is larger than the state of Virginia. It takes in portions of both Sonora and Chihuahua.

☞ A subscriber to the Bennington Banner says:—"I have a little grand-daughter who has now 2 parents, 4 grand-parents, 3 great grand-parents, 3 great-great grand-parents, 6 uncles and aunts, 31 great uncles and aunts, 4 great-great uncles and aunts, 46 second cousins, 46 third cousins, and 8 fourth cousins; making in all 153. She has not, and never had, brother or sister. She was born May 10, 1851.

☞ In the Supreme Judicial Court, Monday, case of Catharine Cross vs. South Reading Branch Railroad Co,, in which the plaintiff claimed $10,000 damages for the loss of an arm by being run over, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendants. It appeared that plaintiff attempted to get on board the train after it had started, and the decision is that in such cases the railroad companies are not liable for any damages that may happen.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Written for the Journal

New York, Feb. 6, 1854.

When we start on a distant voyage, or journey, we generally do so with some object in view; whatever that object may be, whether of business or pleasure, it is ever uppermost in our minds, and of course we cannot devote our time to other views, however interesting they may be. We cannot help, however, noticing prominent attractions which come up before us, in such a world of people, who are daily passing and repassing through the streets, in this great city of New York,—this London of America.

An editor should be nothing else but an editor, then he can note down all the every day scenes through which he passes, and the one object which he will have in view, will keep him busy on a tour of observation. But, for me, I have other views, and left home for a trip connected with commercial business, in the management of which my time and interest will not permit me to stray aside to find other objects, for the amusement or information of the readers of the Woburn Journal, but such items as come up before me, and such scenes as I may be an interested observer, will be duly noted for some leisure hour, to be drawn out for the Journal.

I left Boston on Thursday the 2d inst., at 4 P. M., in the cars of the Boston and New York railroad line for this city. This line is one of the best conducted roads I have ever traveled, (always excepting the Woburn Branch,) the conductors attentive and polite. We flew at a rapid rate, and although I am an old traveler, I could not resist the feeling, as we passed that fatal bridge where so many persons lately lost their lives, of where the slightest accident might place us. The engineer was very cautious in passing these bridges, which is a great relief to those who are timorous while in the cars. It being the night train, I had no opportunity of seeing the country through which we passed, but hope to be more favored on my return.

We arrived at the station of the Harlem Railroad, at the extreme end of the Bowery, at about 12½ A.M., where we exchanged steam for horses, the law not allowing steam through the city. When we had proceeded about half way down the Bowery, the cars were stopped by a large fire, raging with all its fury. The hose and engines stopped our progress, and after waiting an hour, all hope of proceeding by the cars was abandoned. Our baggage was sent to the depot in Canal street, and at about 2 o'clock in the morning, with the thermometer at nearly zero, a nice lot of passengers left the warm cars for a night walk of near a mile for lodgings. I made my way through the crowd as fast as possible, and in crossing a street my foot came in contact with an engine hose, which caused me to measure my length across said street, much to the discomfort of my hands and knees. I got safe to lodgings, and after brushing up, found consolation in a good bed, soon forgetting the great fire and the measure of that street.

I take my departure to-day for the theatre of busy actors in Washington, and the sunny skies of the South. G. M. F.

[For the Journal.]

It was on Feb. the very 6th day,
I went to Woburn, all the way;
I went to see "A Convert," I declare,
But when I went into the place, he was not there;
I stayed there til 'twas almost night,
I thought I'd see which was in the right.
Now will you meet me anywhere,
I want to see you, I declare;
If you will only set a time,
Then I will end this doggerel rhyme.

A Farmer of Reading.

N. P.—
Look this way and that way and which way you will,
I'm sure I've said nothing that you can take ill.

J. D.

☞ We see by the Court Records, that the two old counterfeiters, White, of Buffalo, and Lawrence, of Epping, N. H, have been placed under ten thousand dollar bonds, each, for making and selling, imitations of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This is right. If the law should protect men from imposition at all, it should certainly protect them from being imposed upon by a worthless counterfeit of such a medicine as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. We can only complain that the punishment is not half enough. The villian who would for paltry gain, deliberately trifle with the health of his fellow man, by taking from their lips, the cup of hope, when they are sinking, and substituting a falsehood — an utter delusion, should be punished at least as severely as he who counterfeits the coin of the country.—[Green Co. Banner, Carrolton, Ill.

The office of executioner for for the "free city" of Hamburg ,having become vacant on the first of November last, the senate advertised for a successor. The number of applicants was *six hundred and four!*

Phalanx Assemblies. The last of the second course of the Phalanx Assemblies took place at the Central House, Thursday evening. There were 75 couples present. Smith's Quadrille Band furnished music.

These parties have been so successful, that we understand the committee of arrangements have voted to give one sett more of three, the last one to be a military in uniform.

The job printers of Boston have advanced their prices fifty per cent. We hope the advance will be sustained, as there is no business requiring so large an outlay that pays so small a profit.

☞ We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Davis & Co., Real Estate Agents. Those having business in their line will find them prompt and worthy.

There are 17,776 miles of railroad in operation in the United States.

WEEKLY SUMMARY.

Several Russian officers visited the U. S ship-of-war Pennsylvania, at Norfolk, on Wednesday last, and were received with a salute. They are inspecting our ships of war with the intention of buying a number of vessels for the Russian navy.

Messrs. M. M. and F. T. White, of Cincinnati, recently inherited an estate in North Carolina, a part of which were eleven slaves. They were offered $10,000 for the slaves, which they refused, and the liberated slaves recently passed through Cincinnati on their way to Indiana, where they will settle as agriculturalists.

It is stated in the Irish papers that there is a considerable decrease in the amount of remittances from America.

There are six daily and fifty weekly and semi-weekly papers in the German language, printed in the United States. It is estimated that the circulation is 400,000 copies per week.

Joel Howe, of Spencer, died a few days since, in consequence of a fall by which his shoulders and hip were broken. He was a soldier of the revolution, ninety-three years of age. He left a widow and ten children, and his was the first death that had occurred in his family for a period of sixty-three years.

The candy makers of New York have advanced their prices on all kinds of confectionery, in consequence of the late rise in the price of sugars. Bad news for the rising generation.

A Miss Poor, of Alleghany city, Pa., whilst walking through the streets, on Sunday evening last, was felled by a blow on the head from a person in disguise. She lingered in a state of mental alienation for some days, and then died.

The French have taken possession of the Island of New California, in the Pacific ocean. This island is about 900 miles east of Australia. It was discovered by Cook, in 1774. It is 260 miles long and 70 miles wide, and the natives are a gentle race, quite skilful in the cultivation of the soil.

John Mayhew died in New Bedford from the effects of voluntarily drinking N. E. rum the evening previous.

According to the late Diocesan reports to the General Convention, the present condition of the Episcopal Church in the United States is as follows:—Number of clergy 1687, Communicants 102,890, or one of the former to every sixty-one of the latter.

Punch says that the reason why editors are so apt to have their manners spoiled, is because they receive from one correspondent and another such a vast number of evil communications.

Capt. Moses Dimmitt, a captain under Gov. Shelby in the war of 1812, and took part in the battle of the Thames, where Tecumseh was killed and Gen. Proctor captured, died in Maysville, Ky, 14th inst.

The House of Correction at East Cambridge contains at the present time in all its departments 241 persons, as follows,—Insane department 31 males, 37 females. House of Correction 122 males, 30 females. In the Jail are confined for trial 21 persons, 18 males 3 females; of the males 6 are charged with murder. There is no person confined there for debt.

We learn from the Pittsburg Gazette that 79 coal boats are known to have been lost in the late storm, out of 270 that left Pittsburg for Cincinnati, &c. Seventeen boatmen have lost their lives, twelve of whom belonged to Pittsburg.

India Rubber is used as a material in the manufacture of combs, which are warranted not to warp or split, retain an exquisite polish—can be furnished cheap—and possess other advantages.

Mr. Cook the brakeman who was injured by the collision on the Fitchburg Railroad is not expected to live. He was terribly jammed by the doubling up of the platform.

At a wedding celebration at Louisville, a short time since, between a lady of that city and a gentleman of Cincinnati, the bridal cake prepared for the occasion was nine feet high, and cost $250. This was flanked on either side by two lesser ones, constructed at a price of seventy-five dollars each. The other creature comforts provided for the feast were in the same proportion.

☞ No wonder that Mr. Spalding has received premiums for his admirable preparation of Rosemary and Castor Oil, which among the beaux and belles is quite indispensable. One of its great recommendations is that it is no nostrum; its ingredients are harmless, and at the same time so efficacious that we have good hopes of a perpetuity of glossy curls, and of an utter banishment of baldness.

Collector's Sale for Taxes.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of March next, at three o'clock, P. M., at the Depot of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company, in the centre village of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, (each parcel thereof belonging to a person unknown,) as shall be sufficient to pay the Taxes assessed thereon for the year eighteen hundred and fifty three, and all legal costs and charges.

Said Real Estate and Taxes are as follows, viz: Lot No. nine on a plan of the Caleb and Joshua Richardson estate, as surveyed by David Gould, May, 1847, which said lot is bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. ten about one hundred and thirty-eight feet, southerly and south-westerly by Salem street, westerly by Cedar street and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet; said lot contains about twelve thousand four hundred and seven square feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number eighteen on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. seventeen, southerly by lot No. fifteen about one hundred feet, westerly by lot No. nineteen, and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. twenty-four on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-five, southerly by Richardson street, westerly by lot number twenty-three, and notherly by lot No. thirty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number twenty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-eight, southerly by Richardson street, westerly by Chestnut street, and northerly by lot number thirty-four. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty on said plan, containing about fifteen thousand one hundred and twenty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Cedar street about one hundred and twenty feet, southerly by lot No. forty-one about eighty-six feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and forty-two feet, and northerly by lots Nos. forty-two and thirty-nine about one hundred and sixty-six feet. Tax, forty-eight cents.

Lot No forty-one on said plan on Cedar street and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by said Cedar street about one hundred and thirty feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and fifty-five feet, and northerly by lot No. forty about eighty-six feet. Tax, eighteen cents.

Lot number forty-six on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No forty-seven, southerly by Water street, westerly by Cedar street, and northerly by lot No. sixty. Tax, seventy-four cents.

Lot No. forty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-eight, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-six, and northerly by lot No. fifty-nine. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-nine, southerly by Wate street, westerly by lot No forty-seven, and northerly by lot No. fifty-eight. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-nine on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Chestnut street, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-eight. and northerly by lot No. fifty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. fifty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. fifty-seven, southerly by lot No. forty-eight, westerly by lot No. fifty-nine. and northerly by Canal street. Tax, forty-five cents.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, belonging to Henry Skerry, a non-resident, as shall be sufficient to pay the taxes assessed thereon, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said real estate and taxes are as follows, viz:

Two lots of land, being lots numbered five and seven, on a recorded plan of the Ferrier land, and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by Swanton street, about one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, easterly by lot No. nine (9) on said plan, northerly by land of the heirs of Samuel Symmes, and westerly by lot No. three on said plan. Tax, $1.19.

If said Taxes, and all legal costs and charges, shall not be paid on or before said time of sale, so much of said Real Estate will then and there be sold as shall be sufficient to pay the same,

N. A. RICHARDSON,
Collector of Taxes for Winchester.
Feb. 6, 1854.

Collector's Sale.

The Proprietors of the following Lands in the town of Stoneham, in the county of Middlesex, are notified that the same are taxed in the Tax List committed to the subscriber, collector of Taxes for said town for the year 1853, as follows:

Charles W. Green,—About ten acres of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the town line between Stoneham and South Reading, south westerly and westerly by Spring street, and northerly by land of Samuel Green.—Tax $7.65.

Elias Kingsley,—Thirty acres of land in Stoneham, near the house of Lot Sweeser and known as the "Marble Pit Lot."—Tax $7.20.

William Larabee or Successors,—Eleven and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, and bounded northerly by land of William B. Lang and Joseph Lynde, easterly by Melrose and Stoneham town line, southerly by land of James Eaton, heirs of John Lynde and land of Joseph Lynde, and westerly by land of Joseph Lynde.—Tax $4.50.

N. A. & Samuel Richardson,—Ten and three-fourths acres of land in the south westerly part of Stoneham, bounded westerly by the town line between Stoneham and Winchester, northerly by land of Darius Stevens, southerly and easterly by land of John and Marshall Symmes.—Tax $5 85.

Reading Ice Company,—Four acres of land in the north easterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by Stoneham and South Reading town line, southerly by Smith's Pond, westerly by land formerly owned by Joseph Balister, and northerly by land formerly of John Jenkins and land of Cyrus Wakefield and land of Clarissa Gould.—Tax $4 50.

Seth Tuffts,—Six acres of land situated in Stoneham, bounded northerly by land of John Barnes, westerly by land formerly belonging to David H. Burnham, southerly by land of John Bucknam, and easterly by land of Samuel Blanchard and Main street.—Tax $2,66.

A & J. Worcester,—One and one-third acres of land in the north easterly part of Stoneham, it being lots Nos. Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen on J. S. Eaton's Plan.—Tax $5.85.

James Eaton,—Two and a half acres of land in the south easterly part of Stoneham, it being Lot No. Eight on plan of lands in Wyoming, surveyed by Charles Whitney, bounded easterly by Wood Land Road, northerly by land now or late of W. W. Majoram, southerly by land of J. B. Eaton, and westerly by Spot Pond.

Also, about twenty and three-fourths acres of land in the southeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded northerly by Ravine Road, easterly by land of Joseph Lynde, southerly by land of Wm. Foster, and westerly by land of Wm. Foster and Charles Trull.—Tax $83. 1.

A. G. Hill,—Four and three-fourths acres of land situated in the southeasterly part of Stoneham bounded northerly by land of Joseph Lynde, easterly by land of James Eaton, southerly by land formerly of Mr. Dow, and westerly by land of William Rogers.—Tax $10.17.

John F. Damon,—One-third of an acre of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, with the building thereon standing, formerly owned by Jabez Kendall, and bounded on all sides by land of Joseph Hurd.—Tax $13.05.

G. W. Messenger,—Four and seven-eighths acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, viz, it being lots Nos. one, two, three, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, on Sargent's Plan.—Tax $11,70.

Otis H. Weed,—13 500 feet of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. eleven on J. S. Eaton's plan.

Also, about one and a half acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the Boston and Maine Railroad, northerly by a street named Vernon street on J. S. Eaton's plan, and westerly by a street called Washington street, on said Eaton's plan, and southerly by land formerly owned by J. S. Edwards.—Tax $10.80.

Oliver E. Ayres,—Five-sixteenth of an acre of land in Stoneham, bounded west by land of K. H. Blanchard, south by Summer street, north by a passage-way, and east by land now or late of Luther Hill. Tax $1,94.

Heirs or Successors of James Pratt,—Three acres of land situated in Stoneham, it being an Island in Spot Pond known by the name of Great Island.

Also about two and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, bounded southerly by the town line between Stoneham and Medford, and westerly, northerly and easterly by the shore of Spot Pond.—Tax $5.85.

Thaddeus Richardson,—One and a half acres of land with house and other buildings standing thereon, bounded northerly by William's street. easterly by land of Oliver Richardson, and southerly and westerly by land of the heirs or successors of Thaddeus Richardson, late of Stoneham, deceased.—Tax $8,91.

Mr. Anjuerra or Successors, Eight acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded westerly by the heirs of Joseph Hopkins, southerly by land of J. W. Converse, easterly and northerly by the town line between Stoneham and South Reading.—Tax $2.75.

J. B. Starkweather,—One third acre of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. six on J S. Eaton's plan.—Tax $1.13.

And if no person shall appear to discharge said Taxes and charges upon the same, on or before Saturday, March 11th, next, at one o'clock, P. M., I shall at that time proceed to sell, at my Office in Stoneham, by public auction, so much of said respective lands as shall be sufficient to discharge said Taxes, and all necessary and intervening charges.

JABEZ C. CROOKER,
Collector of Stoneham.

Stoneham, Feb. 1, 1854.—3t.

MARRIED.

"There are moments in this fleeting life
When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

In this town, Feb. 2, by Rev. John. G. Cary, Mr. Wm. Emery to Frances R. Handen, all of Woburn.

In this town, Feb. 9 by Rev. Mr. Ricker, Mr. John Miller to Miss Susan Smith.

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, by Rev. R. C. Waterston, of Boston Subject—Switzerland.

NOTICE.

The subscriber would give notice that the Declamation Olio, advertised to be given at the Town Hall, will take place on Wednesday Evening, Feb. 15th. In order to defray expenses, cards of admission will be 12½ cents. No half price. FRANK TAYLOR.

Feb. 11 1t

NOTICE.

The subscriber would respectfully announce to the citizens of this place and vicinity, that (the Lord willing) he will lecture at the Town Hall, on Sunday evening next, Feb. 12, commencing at 7½ o'clock. Subject, "The History and Destiny of Nations, as viewed in the light of Scripture prophecy."

A collection will be taken to pay expenses.

Should the weather be stormy, the lecture will be postponed. M. ALLEN.

Feb. 11, 1854. 1t

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against District No. 1 are requested to present them to the subscriber before the first day of March.

WALTER WYMAN, Prudential Committee.

Woburn, Jan. 30, 1854. tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

VALENTINES!!

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK, THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF SENTIMENTAL, COMIC —AND— JUVENILE VALENTINES EVER OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC, AT THE Woburn Bookstore.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.

WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.

Feb. 11. 3w

DAVIS & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Office No. 8, Traveller Buildings,

(Entrance No. 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.)

BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L. R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG,
Woburn Centre

feb 11 3w

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. CHARLES BOND

Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.

Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Safes, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, R. S. BRIDGMAN.

jan 21 tf

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimmings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.

jan 14 3t

VESTS.

A FEW of those fancy velvet vests, a splendid article, for sale by WM. A. MILES.

dec31 3w

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—

FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " " "
BROCADE SILKS.
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our fall stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

FALL AND WINTER STOCK

—OF—

Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys CLOTHING

—AND—

FURNISHING GOODS!

RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,

Rich Piece Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW One Price Cash System,

—AT—

OAK HALL CLOTHING HOUSE,

NORTH STREET,

oct20 BOSTON. 3t

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov5 tf CHANDLER & Co.

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON,
BOWEN BUCKMAN, } Commissioners.

Woburn. Jan. 13, 1854. tf

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, Chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at WM. WOODBERRY'S.
sept. 24

COCOA, Bone and Ivory hadled Knives and Forks, at WM. WOODBERRY'S
sept. 10.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 6. L. THOMPSON

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS. CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
dec31. 2w

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiamas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by L. THOMPSON, Jr

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. ONION.

Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by J. S. ELLIS
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A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for sale at WM. WOODBERRY'S.
sept. 10

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

BY J. PHILBRICK.

BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 62 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical, Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a splendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c. jy30s6m.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Caleb French, an insolvent debtor, are requested to make payment to Tho's J. Porter, immediately, and all persons having mutual and unsettled accounts, are requested to present them for adjustment, to the subscriber.

THO'S J. PORTER, Assignee.

Woburn, January 9th, 1854. 4t

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,	Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,	I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,	Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A Smith,	Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,	Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,	Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,	E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*

E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't,* W. T. Hooker. *Secretary,* Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had.

G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by THOMAS SLEATER & CO., Foster Wharf, Boston.

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

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MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price...All Representations Warranted

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HUNTING & EATON,

EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,

HERMAN HUNTING,
MARCUS EATON, } BOSTON

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.*

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated

TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS,
MANTILLAS,
SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.

Woburn. Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,) Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Henfisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by

MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by

JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

OATS AND POTATOES.

3000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by THOS. SLEATER & CO., Foster's Wharf, Boston.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct. 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING!

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,
(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)
BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and bedsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.

may 14 tf

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist. apr2

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my28 tf JOHN ASH

JOHN MILLER,

NORTH WOBURN, MASS.,

BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN

WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.

All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to apr20.

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S.,

PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.,

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for the wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	
Traveller.	New York Herald
Journal	Tribune.
Times.	Commonwealth
Herald.	Rambler.
Commonwealth.	Banner.
WEEKLY	Museum.
	MAGAZINES
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journal	Graham's.
Olive Branch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
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Agent for all the Newspapers and Magazines in the United States. W. FOWLE

MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA,
AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,
Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.

Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares

D. B. MOREY,
R. H. OBER } Dealers are invited to call and examine.
oct. 18. 1 year

A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store. 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

ROSE MARY

AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spaulding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

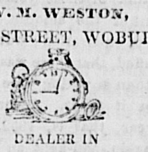
N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.

J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishejy

W. M. WESTON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN,



DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.

Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.

ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.

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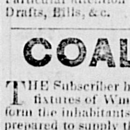
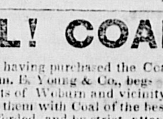
CONVERSE & Co.,



WOBURN AND BOSTON R.R. EXPRESS.

5 TRIPS DAILY.



OFFICES. { 10 Court Sqare, Boston, R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,

Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. B. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

AMOS LOCKE.

☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.

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So sylph-like and so gay!
We miss thy childish, simple song,
That cheered the opening day.

Oh! ne'er again those rosy lips
Shall on my cheek be pressed—
My little sister—thou art gone
To take thy final rest!

I hear no more thy hurried step,
So sprightly and so free;
I hear no more thy merry laugh,
Thy light and childish glee.

Those wavy curls that o'er thy brow
In long dark tresses grew,
No more they'll dance before the wind,
Or catch the pearly dew.

The flowers are blooming round thy bed,
The golden sun shines bright,
The little dew-drops, glittering, lie
Like diamonds in the night.

But though thy bright and smiling eye
No longer cheers our home,
Thou dwellest in a land of bliss,
Where sorrow ne'er can come.
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AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

[For the Journal.]

RYE.

MR. EDITOR:—What is the reason that our farmers do not pay more attention to the cultivation of rye? That you may have some idea of the profit to be derived from its cultivation, I will give you my experience in this part of farming. In the fall of 1850 I plowed up five acres of pasture land, and sowed it with rye. It yielded 186 bushels and a large crop of straw. It did so well, I sowed the same ground in the fall of 1851. This time I had 183 bushels, and a very large crop of straw. Neither of these years did I keep an exact account of the amount of straw, or of the expense of cultivation; but by this time I became satisfied, that there was more profit in raising rye than anything else in proportion to the labor it takes. Accordingly, in the fall of this year, that is, 1852, I sowed the same piece again, and kept an account of the expense of cultivation, and also of the amount of rye and straw sold:

EXPENSES.

A man and a pair of horses four days, plowing, harrowing and sowing the rye, at three dollars per day,	$12 00
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The whole expense,	$73.88

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Sold 10 bushels rye a 95 cts.,	$9.50
" 176½ " " a 93 cts.,	164.15
" 9½ tons straw, a $16 per ton,	152.00
	325.65
Expense,	73.88
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I sold the rye as soon as it was thrashed at the low price of 93 and 95 cents per bushel—it is now worth $1.25 per bushel. Five acres would scarcely pasture a cow. I have no doubt but there are thousands of acres of land in this state, that will yield as well as this, that can be bought for less than one hundred dollars per acre. In that case a man would get pay for his land in two years. J. S. E.

Somerville, Mass., Jan. 28, 1854.

MAPLE SUGAR.

The quantity of sugar obtained from the splendid growth of Northern forests, is not generally known. The maple grows to a magnificent size, its height being sometimes a hundred feet; it grows best in a Northern climate; it is highly ornamental, and makes excellent fuel, and flourishes to the ripe old age of 200 years. Its principal value is from the sap which it yields in the spring, merely for the manufacture of sugar.

In 1853 there were 34,000,000 lbs. of maple sugar manufactured. It is produced in 27 States of the Union. New York producing the largest quantity, 12,310,744 pounds; Vermont next, 5,158,641; Ohio next, 4,628,540.

In addition to this large yield of maple sugar in the States, the Indians east of the Mississippi river, make 10,000,000, and those west of the river 2,000,000 pounds. The maple sugar products of the Canadas, in 1843, amounted to 6,463,835 pounds.

Besides the above sugar crop, there was a yield by the sugar maple in the United States, in 1850, of 40,000,000 gallons of maple molasses. [N. O. Bulletin.

EGGS IN ENGLAND. It is said that the number of ducks and hens' eggs used in England last year was fifteen hundred millions, valued at about fifteen million dollars. One third of these are brought from Ireland; and the London and North Western Railroad Company have frequently forwarded a million eggs from Liverpool in a single day. Holland, Belgium, France and Germany furnished to England eleven millions of eggs in 1852; and these were worth two cents each in London.

There are about two hundred varieties of the apple tree cultivated in Oregon at this time. The demand for fruit trees of different kinds has been very great this winter.

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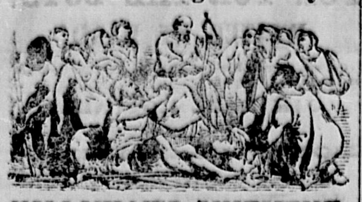

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

A Cripple Sets Aside his Crutches after Ten Years Suffering.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Thompson, Chemist, Liverpool, dated August 20th, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—I am enabled to furnish you with a most extraordinary cure effected by your invaluable Ointment and Pills, which has astonished every person acquainted with the sufferer. About 10 years ago, Mr. W. Cummins, of Saltney Street, in this town, was thrown from his horse, whereby he received serious injuries; he had the best of medical advice at the time, and was afterwards an inmate of different infirmaries, yet he grew worse, and at length a malignant running ulcer settled in his hip, which so completely crippled him, that he could not move without crutches for nearly 10 years; recently he began to use your Ointment and Pills, which have now healed the wound, strengthened his limb, and enabled him to dispense with his crutches, so that he can walk with the greatest ease, and with renewed health and vigor.

(Signed) J. THOMPSON.

A Most Extraordinary Cure of a Dreadful Skin Disease when all Medical Aid had Failed.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Hird, Draper, Keady, near Gainsbro', dated March 1st, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—Some time since, one of my children was afflicted with dreadful eruptions over the body and limbs. I obtained the advice of several eminent Surgeons and Physicians, by all of whom the case was considered hopeless. At length I tried your Ointment and Pills, and without exaggeration, the effect was miraculous, for by persevering in their use, all the eruptions quickly disappeared, and the child was restored to perfect health.

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(Signed) J. HIRD, Draper

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Copy of a Letter from Messrs. Walker & Co., Chemists, Bath.

To PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR,—Among the numerous cures effected by the use of your valuable medicine in this neighbourhood, we may mention that of an old lady living in the Village of Preston, about five miles from this City. She had ulcerated wounds in her leg for many years, and latterly they increased to such an alarming extent as to defy all the usual remedies; her health rapidly giving way under the suffering she endured. In this distressing condition she had recourse to your Ointment and Pills, and by the assistance of her friends, was enabled to persevere in their use, until she received a perfect cure. We have ourselves been greatly astonished at the effect upon so old a person, she being above 70 years of age. We shall be happy to satisfy any enquiries as to the authenticity of this really wonderful case, either personally or by letter.

A private in the Bath Police Force, also, has been perfectly cured of an old scorbutic affection in the face after all other means had failed. He states that it is entirely by the use of your Ointment, and speaks loudly in its praise

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Your's faithfully
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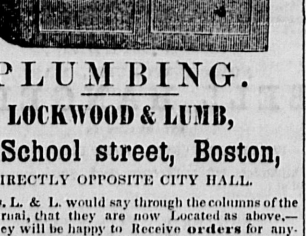

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POETRY.

TURN THE CARPET.

BY HANNAH MORE.

As at their work two weavers sat,
Beguiling time with friendly chat,
They touched upon the price of meat,
So high, a weaver scarce could eat.

What with my brats and sickly wife,
Quoth Dick, I'm nearly tired of life;
So hard my work, so poor my fare,
'Tis more than mortal man can bear.

How glorious is the rich man's state!
His house so fine! his wealth so great!
Heaven is unjust, you must agree;
Why all to him? why none to me?

In spite of what the Scripture teaches,
In spite of all the parson preaches,
This world (indeed, I've thought so long)
Is ruled, methinks extremely wrong.

Where'er I look, howe'er I range,
'Tis all confused, and hard, and strange;
The good are troubled and oppressed,
And all the wicked are the blessed.

Quoth John, Our ignorance is the cause,
Why thus we blame our Maker's laws,
Parts of His ways alone we know—
'Tis all that men can see below.

Sees't thou that carpet, not half done,
Which thou, friend Dick, hast well begun?
Behold the wild confusion there,
So rude the mass, it makes one stare.

A stranger, ignorant of trade,
Would say, no meaning's there conveyed;
For where's the middle, where's the border?
Thy carpet now is all disorder.

Quoth Dick, my work is yet in bits,
But still in every part it fits:
Besides, you reason like a lout,—
Why, man, that carpet's inside out.

Says John: Thou say'st the thing I mean,
And now I hope to cure thy spleen;
This world, which clouds thy soul with doubt,
Is but a carpet inside out.

As when we view those shreds and ends,
We know not what the whole intends;
So when on earth things look but odd,
They're working still some scheme of God.

No plan, no pattern can we trace,
All wants proportion, truth and grace;
The motley mixture we deride,
Nor see the beauteous upper side.

But when we reach that world of light,
And view those works of God aright,
Then shall we see the whole design,
And own the workman is divine.

What now seem random strokes, will there
All order and design appear,
Then shall we praise what here we spurned,
For then the carpet shall be turned.

Thou'rt right, quoth Dick, no more I'll grumble,
That this sad world 's so strange a jumble;
My impious doubts are put to flight,
For my own carpet sets me right.

A Chicago paper relates the following,—A boy was going along the street carrying a pitcher of milk, when presently he stumbled, and smash went the pitcher and away ran the milk. Another boy across the way saw the accident, and shouted, "O! won't you catch it when you go home; your mother'll give it to you." "No she won't neither!" screamed the other; "my mother always says 'never cry for spilt milk.'"

Two persons who have chosen each other out of all the species, with the design of being each other's mutual comfort and entertainment, have in that very action bound themselves to be good humored, affable, joyful, forgiving and patient, with respect to each other's frailties and imperfections, to the end of their lives.

Whoever wishes to get along through this world has only to take lessons of a hen chasing a grass-hopper through a field. With a long neck and peeled eye, take a few hurried steps, stop short, peep over, peep under, now to the left, then to the right, one flutter—and ye have him! That's the way it is done.

Among the many properties of charcoal may be mentioned its power of destroying smell, taste and color; and, as a proof of its possessing the first quality, if it be rubbed over putrid meat, the smell will be destroyed; also water will be rendered completely fresh. Sailors are aware of this; for when water is bad at sea, they are in the habit of throwing burnt biscuits into it to purify it. Color is materially influenced by charcoal, and in numbers of instances in a very irregular way. If you take a dirty black syrup and filter it through burnt charcoal, the color will be removed. The charcoal of animal matter appears to be the best for this purpose. You may learn the influence of charcoal in destroying colors by filtering a bottle of port wine through it, in the filtration it will lose a great portion of this color and become tawny; repeat the process two or three times and you destroy it altogether.

Gen. Houston, in his lecture at Providence, said: "From early boyhood I have lived on the borders of civilization, and have seen much of Indian life and character; and never knew an Indian treaty to be violated but what when sifted to its bottom it was found that its first violators were the white men."

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THE "LITTLE HERO."

BY CHARLES J. PETERSON.

The November evening was closing in, blustering and cold, with every appearance of a storm, when three men stood on the beach near Cape May, watching a pilot-boat that lay at anchor in the offing. Her dark and graceful hull, her slender masts with their jaunty air, and indeed her whole general appearance would have forcibly recalled to a landsman the high mettled thorough-bred. As her bow rose to meet the huge wave that came rolling in, the tall masts swept backward slowly, describing a curve against the leaden colored sky; then hesitating for an instant, they pitched forward headlong, as if to precipitate themselves into the deep. Simultaneously, the enormous billow came boiling and hissing past the rudder, to break, a few minutes after, in thunder on the shore; while the light craft rose dripping, like a water fowl after a dive, her hull glistening in the twilight away back to her very main chains.

"Isn't she a beauty?" said one of the spectators. "Dang it, there's not a gal comes here all summer," he added enthusiastically, "that's got the shape of that ar' craft."

His companions laughed, and one of them said after a pause.

"Little Billy seems to have a hard time bailing out, the waves pitch him so."

The lad alluded was in a small cockle-shell boat, attached by a rope to the stern of the schooner. At every pitch of the latter, the light skiff swung about; now floating loosely, now hurrying after the larger craft.

"Ay!" said the first speaker. "But he's got to larn his craft, and the sooner the better for he's nothing to depend on but it, either for his mammy or himself. But what's that?" he suddenly cried, as the pilot-boat shot ahead of the skiff, which immediately turned broadside to the waves. "Whew! if the painter ain't broke! the boy'll be drowned!"

The rope had indeed parted. Instantly all three, as if by one impulse, rushed into the water, only awaking to the impossibility of reaching the lad, when the spent breakers came washing to their waists. They looked at each other in dismay.

"He's got no oars, not even a sail. If he could hear us we might tell him to get her head to the wind," said the principal speaker "It's a chance if he thinks of it. But in this wind he wouldn't hear the angel Gabriel. There, Lord help us, he's gone."

As he spoke, a mighty roller came advancing from the offing, towering higher and higher as it approached the boy, till it seemed to the spectators as if the mountain of waters would never cease accumulating. When it reached the little skiff it hung suspended for a moment, and then rushed downward like a pack of wolves on its prey.

But while the lookers-on hold their breaths in horror, the lad, with quick sagacity, had wrenched a bit of board from the lining of the skiff, and hurriedly snatching up his coat, had fastened the garment to it. With this jury-mast he had managed at the last moment, to bring the skiff's head to the wind, so that at the very instant the spectators expected to see his boat hurled bottom upward toward them, they beheld it mounting the wave gallantly, as a storm-bird breasts the gale.

"Well done, Billy," shouted the principal speaker, and carried away by the excitement, he gave voice to a hearty cheer, in which the others joined.

"The lad's a born sailor," said one of the others, when the first burst of joy had passed. "It would be a mortal shame to let such a brave little fellow die, even if his poor old mother didn't look to him for her living. We must launch a surf-boat, board the craft, and be after him. He can't live long with that rig."

The plan of the speaker had suggested itself simultaneously to the others. But some time was necessarily occupied in getting a surf-boat into the water, and during interval the skiff had nearly disappeared in the darkness and distance, the lad having succeeded in getting his little craft before the wind as his only chance for permanent safety.

"He's done his best, but it's taking him right on to the shoals, and in half an hour nothing can save him," said the man who steered, as he stood up and looked for the lad. "Pull away with a will, boys, or we'll be too late after all. Ha! he's waving his handkerchief, as I live. He sees us and says he hearty yet—he's a trump, and no mistake—here we are, look alive!"

In a moment more the little crew were on deck, and as soon as possible the anchor was hove, the sails set, and the schooner put before the wind. The anxiety of all had become insupportable, by this time; for the delay had been considerable notwithstanding every effort at haste; and in the interval the skiff had vanished. Whether she had only disappeared in the gloom of the sea-board, or whether she had been capsized, no one could tell; for all had been too much occupied to notice the exact moment when she passed from sight. But the fears, or at least doubts, exceeded the hopes. It was, therefore, with a sensation of relief, that the crew felt the pilot-boat to be in motion, and as the waters whizzed past their spirits rose. The very schooner seemed to share in the general anxiety. No greyhound, loosed from the lash, could have sprung forward more eagerly or swiftly.

The night had now shut in. The wind sighed mournfully up in the sky; a wild sound went flitting overhead, now hiding, now revealing a few faint stars; and the sea was as black as ink, where the white caps flashed up for an instant, ominous of a coming tempest.

For a long time the rush of the hull, as it glided through the waters, was the only sound heard. Every eye meantime was scanning the narrow, but tumultuous prospect, in the vain hope of discerning somewhere the skiff, and its occupant. As the schooner left the shore out of sight behind her, this scrutiny became more sharp: but alas! to no purpose.

"Don't you see anything yet?" cried the master at last hailing the principal look-out from the helm. "Surely he's in sight somewhere."

"There's no sign of him, sir."

"We're close on the shoal now, and must soon go about. Can we have passed him?"

"Can't say. Don't think we have," laconically replied the man. "It's dark enough; but I've looked sharp, sir."

At that instant a dull roar was heard close ahead, and a long line of foam suddenly whitened the gloom in that direction, proclaiming that the schooner was perilously near to the shoal.

"Ready about," shouted the master; and instantly every man sprang to his station, "haul in, let go, belay! Round she is cheerily!" And as he finished, the light craft danced away on the other tack, leaving the breakers at a safe distance astern.

"Look lively now, mind we don't leave him," cried the master, as the shoal rapidly faded into the darkness behind. "You don't see his skiff bottom upward, any of you?"

The pilot-boat was no longer gliding noiselessly, like a greyhound coursing, but leaning over to the wind, she struggled against the head-sea, like a war-horse charging up hill. When the bows struck the opposing waves, the spray often flew crackling to the very cross-trees apparently, while simultaneously a quiver ran through the hull from stem to stern, and the masts creaked audibly. Far out to leeward bellied the larboard shrouds, while those to windward were so taut that a landsman would have expected to see them snap.

"Nothing yet?" These were the words with which the helmsman broke another long silence.

"Nothing, sir."

"He can't certainly be inside us. We've either missed him, or else he went to the bottom before we reached the shoal. But hark! What's that?"

As he spoke, what seemed a faint cry came out of the gloom ahead. Was it a child's voice? Or was it only a modulation of the gale?

They listened, not daring to breathe. Nothing reached their ears but the sound of the wind in the rigging, and the dash of the waters thumping against the bow; and, with a long-drawn sigh, the master was preparing to break the silence, and propose tacking toward the shoal again.

But suddenly, close at hand, there rose a cheering voice out of the darkness.

"Hillo there! Hillo! Don't run a fellow down."

"It's Billy," shouted the master electrically. "It's the boy himself. Hillo, it is! Hillo! Where are you, my hearty?"

His voice rang clear over all the uproar of the winds and waves, like a trumpet-call of succor, in the crisis of the battle.

"Here I am," stoutly replied the little hero, his skiff dancing up suddenly out of the gloom. "Luff a little, or you'll be over me."

All rushed to the side of the schooner, except the helmsman, who called up all his skill to shave the skiff, as he afterwards said, without hitting it.

An interval of thrilling suspense succeeded. The pilot-boat deviated for an instant, from her direct course, curtesying up toward the wind like a lady in a dance; and then falling off again, dashed forward on her old course, like the same gay beauty coquetting a partner. But, during that second, the intrepid lad, watching his opportunity, had sprung at the bob-stays, and clambered dripping on deck, just as the schooner fell off.

He was surrounded at once, and borne, shouting out in triumph, aft, where the master, handing the helm to another, caught him in his arms, as if he had been his own child.

"You'll be as great a man as Decatur, if you live, my lad," he cried. Decatur was, in the master's opinion, the greatest man that ever breathed. "But come below, come below," he continued, "you're as wet as a musk-rat. Dang it, Billy," he exclaimed, rapturously, "but your'e a hero."

"You think I wasn't scared then, sir," said the boy proudly, his eye brightening, and his little figure expanding perceptibly. "You'll tell mother so, won't you, sir?"

"That I will," said the master, clapping him heartily on the shoulder. "You did exactly what was right, and kept up your spirits bravely: if you hadn't, my boy, you'd been food for the sharks, maybe, by this time. I should have been some skeered myself, Billy, if I'd been in your place.

"Would you, though?" said the boy, as he looked up, by the dim light of the cabin lamp. "Oh! no you wouldn't. But I was glad, I tell you," he added quickly, his eyes glistening, "when I saw the schooner come riding the seas toward me, and thought I'd see mother again." And, at this recollection, his fortitude gave way, and he burst into a flood of tears. But they were tears sacred to a mother's memory, and they did him honor.

This is no fancy sketch. The newspapers of last November recorded the self-possession and courage of the hero of our story, exactly as we have told it, only in more general terms. Do we err, in saying with those journals, that the world will yet hear more of this brave boy? [Peterson's Magazine.

THE LOST POCKET-BOOK.

The other day I stepped into a Bowery stage, going up town, in which were some three or four gentlemen and as many ladies. Soon after taking my seat, a young man came upon a fast run after us, calling to the driver from the sidewalk. The stage stopped, and the young man came up, pulled open the door, and stepped in. He was well dressed, with an overcoat on his arm, and evidently from the country.

The passengers moved to give him a seat, which he did not seem inclined to take, but looked anxiously about the stage.

"I have lost my pocket-book in this stage," he said, as he began to examine the seats and floor.

Every man smiled incredulously, as every man in New York will at the first mention of any story of loss or misfortune, suspecting that every such story is simply a *ruse* to get money.

"It wasn't in this stage, I guess," said one.

"Yes it was in this stage. I got out at Broome street to take the cars, and as soon as I was out, I found that my pocket-book was gone."

"Oh, yes," said one of the men. "I recollect seeing you get out."

This declaration quickened the memory of another, who also remembered that he left the stage at Broome street.

Here every one in the stage commenced a search for the lost pocket-book. The search in a stage is not an extensive one; there are few crooks or crannies, or by-places in a 'bus, where lost treasures may be secluded. Just cast your eye along the floor, and turn up the cushions, and the work is done. Every one got up, every one looked intensely along the floor, and every one assisted in turning over the cushions. But every one failed to find the lost pocket-book. It certainly was not there. Again they looked at the floor, again pulled up the cushions, but with the same success.

The first thought, I said, always is, where one complaines of losing, it is all a *ruse*. The second thought is that some one has *stolen* it. When no one could find the pocket-book, each one began to wonder who took it from his pocket.

"It was in this pocket," said the young man, "and I sat in that corner;" which would have made it impossible for any one to have taken it while he was in the stage.

"I don't know what I shall I do," said the young man, despondingly. "I was going into the country, and I haven't got money enough left to pay my fare. I wonder if the conductor would take me.

No one ventured a reply to this query; but some one asked how much money he had in his wallet,

"Oh, only about a dollar and a half. I don't care anything about it, if I had only enough to get home with."

The case was now reduced to a very simple point, and the question was, how should he get money to pay his fare? No one moved, but all were thinking, perhaps, though they did not say it, "Well, go to the conductor—I guess he will let you pass;" or, "Somebody, if you ask them, will let you have the money;" or, "Well, I can't do anything for you—you must look out for yourself."

And all looked hard at the floor, for the third time, and thought of turning over the cushions again.

No one offered to give him anything, for if any one felt disposed to the generous act, he had not the courage, because every other one would *think*, "Why, what a fool you are, to give money to everybody that get into a *fix!* If you undertake to give to every one, your hands wiil be full."

"Come, *hurry up!*" cried the driver; "can't stay here all day."

And on went the stage, tumbling over the rough pavement.

"How much did you say you needed?" asked a lady.

"Fifty-five cents," was the reply.

Without saying another word, she quietly drew her purse. The effect was electrical. Every lady fumbled for her purse; every gentleman put his hand into his pocket, as they do in the city cars when the conductor comes along and says, "*Fare* gentlemen!" And almost before the lady could put her money into the young man's hand, six or eight hands were extended to him with their contributions.

"There, there!" said the young man, "take care—don't give me too much. I only want fifty-five cents; that's all. There, you keep that—no, I don't want it, here's enough;" and he refused to take several pieces that were held out. "Thank you, ladies and gentlemen;" and immediately he jumped from the stage and was out of sight.

I looked at *that lady* whose magic touch of her purse called money from so many pockets, more surprising than Signor Blitz could possibly have done. She was perhaps thirty, well dressed, though not richly, with a fine interesting countenance, yet not particularly beautiful. She was evidently in easy circumstances in life, and yet as evidently not wealthy. She was also, I suppose, a mother, as she had a beautiful little girl, of some four years old, about whose smiling, rosy cheeks the chestnut curls danced, as she nestled into her mother's lap, or whirled round to look out of the window.

The gift of the money was a very small affair; but the manner in which it was done, and the circumstances, made a deep impression on my mind. She did not ask who his father was, and where he lived, and what he came to New York for, and why he was not more careful, and if he could not beg the money, or borrow it, or work for it. There was no flourish or parade—not a word; no vain-glorious look of triumph. She did not gaze round at others, as much as to say, "Now follow my example."

It was a small particle, but it was the genuine, pure gold. She was a mother; perhaps she had a son, and he might meet some time with a little accident away from home, and need a few pennies to return him to her fireside and her embrace. Would she not then bless the heart that might prompt a generous, though trifling service?

If it had only been in an old fashioned country stage-coach, so I could have talked with her without being intrusive! Even in a railroad depot, waiting for the cars, you might venture to speak; but in an omnibus it is scarcely polite to do more than to assist a lady in getting in or out, or make change for her when she pays her fare, or give her your seat.

But a mother has always a second self in her child. The little rosy-checked girl was reaching her dimpled hands out of the window, catching at the carriages as they passed, and laughing at the sport. I patted her cheek and said, "Won't you come and sit with me?"

She turned around with a merry laugh that made her sweet face radiant, as if the golden borealis was playing with her curls.

"Won't you go and sit by the gentleman?" said her mother, turning around and smiling.

What mother ever failed to be pleased when you caressed her child?

"Ah! hold up, driver, I must get out."

No matter; I left the stage, and the child, and the mother. Who she was, where she went, I do not know. It's of no consequence. But there is one home somewhere that she makes happy; there is one fireside, not very rich, not very poor, where the comforts if not the luxuries of life, and even its toils, are sweetened by her goodness.

God bless her, whatever joys or sorrows she may have in life! May she every day do some little deed of noble, generous sympathy and love, that shall help to lighten somewhat the heavy load of trouble, misfortune, and misery that aflicts humanity! Every such act shall be a new gleam in life's dark firmament; a new spark to kindle fires in its chilly and cheerless waste; a new beacon to light others to generous deeds. She did not dream that any one would think of it; perhaps has already forgotten it herself. Yet that little act has a better memorial than I can give it. I shall see her no more, but I will think of that act.

Who knows but some day to come my boy may be far from home, in a great city, and penniless? Who knows? Would I not bless and pray for the one who should give him but a farthing, that he might return to my embrace, so that I might kiss him when he went to sleep as I used to do, and he not be exposed to stay all night in the streets, or what is worse, perhaps, be seduced to the abodes of death?

Do deeds of generous love! They may be small. Never mind that; they cannot be so small but they shall call forth thanksgiving from some heart—but that they will be seen by Him who numbers your hairs, and notices a sparrow's fall! [New York Recorder.

An Unknown Island.—The British brig Chatham was lately wrecked on an island in the Pacific, hitherto undiscovered. The captain gives an account of the adventures of himself and crew thus:—

"We were distributed among the people of the island, where we spent a most wretched night, expecting to be speared every moment. The next morning commenced our naturalization. We were all drawn together and armed with spears, and marched off to the north end of the island, as we supposed, to be there sacrificed to their gods, for they have many, but the training ended well, and we were each taken to our respective houses again. For several days this training was carried on, differing only as their modes of worship differ, according to which of the gods they worship. We then found that we were considered supreme beings, and that we had nothing to fear as long as they thought so. The natives worship idols, departed spirits of their own race, and have godsmen, or a species of Pagan priests, among themselves, whom they worship on particular occasions."

☞ The subscriptions for testimonials to the gallant fellows who saved the persons on board the San Francisco exceed $84,000.

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EDITORIAL.

THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

How often do we hear enconiums passed upon this our "golden age;" the brightest era yet recorded; the culmination of human perfection. We egotistically boast of "our age," as though all previous cycles of revolving time had consummated their noblest achievements for the glory of our times.

We cast a glance scornfully far below our supposed dizzy eminence and chide our ancestors for busy conservatism, pointing proudly to our gaudy banner gilded with the boasted watchword "Reform." Each seem to feel the massive burden of reform is laid upon his shoulders; thus we see a body of chivalric crusaders, with some deluded Peter the Hermit at their head, on the march to rescue the "sacred things from the hands of barbarous invasion." Thus, by these bewildered victims of opaque flunkeyism, our so-called "golden age" becomes a seething, boiling cauldron, of inconsistent ingredients.

In the old world, iron thrones totter and reel before the internal feuds and jealous factions of modern reformers, and old popedom combined. Here and there the diminutive head of adulterated liberty dares to raise itself above the molten sea of national wrangling. In the land of the Pilgrims, the New World, bold reformers, seated in their winged car of superficial inconsistency, seem determined to take the millenium by storm, presenting a bold front of "isms" and "ites." We fear many of our modern reformers are strangers to cool reflection; they play around reason like humming-birds around honey-suckles; they are a sort of spiritual shuttles, vibrating between the unheard of and the unutterable. But we are confidently assured that the new order of things is fast gaining the ascendancy—that the late movement giving to woman the right of suffrage and professional chairs, chances for office under government, &c., is becoming popular, and that it has the ear of a larger public. Well, in a certain sense it may have the larger ear of the public, or rather a public with larger *ears*. Were woman to occupy high places of honor and trust, political, civil and military,—should she mingle in the tumultuous excitements of political campaigns, who is so obtuse as unable to foresee the fatal overthrow of every institution which the instinct first and then the reason of man had built up around his life.

Such ideas are unworthy the reception of sound minds; they are abberations of an unsound intellect,—clumsy plaguarisms from five-and-twenty centuries ago.

☞ Wednesday evening last we were favored with a Declamatory Olio in the Town Hall of this place, under the able management of Mr. Frank Taylor, one of our citizens. It is the intention of the above gentleman, we are pleased to learn, to give a series of these entertainments, than which none could be more entertaining or instructive. The decliamers, though mostly quite young, acquitted themselves in good style, several far exceeding our anticipations. We have seldom sat the same length of time so easy on our seats. The diversity of the pieces spoken rendered the evening's performance agreeable,—all seemed highly pleased. The prize, a beautiful gold pencil, was awarded to Thos. J. Leavitt, a lad of about fourteen, who declaimed a beautiful gem entitled "Excelsior," with surpassing beauty for one so young. Several of the youthful speakers bid fair to be bright stars in oratory.

☞ Washington Engine Co. No. 3, of this town, will give a Grand Firemen and Civic Ball at the Howard House, Stoneham, on Wednesday evening next, Feb. 22d, (Washington's birthday.) Music by Brown & Richardson's Band. With good landlord, good manager, good music, and good company, all expect a fine time.

We understand that delegations from various engine companies will be present. As the popular landlords of the above hotel (Messrs. Howard and Dustin,) are firemen themselves, first rate attention, a cordial welcome, and a tip-top time may be expected.

REPORTER.

☞ The Baldwin estate, including the store occupied by Wm. Woodberry, has lately been purchased by our enterprising citizen, D. D. Hart.

LONGEVITY. Mrs. Bridget Richardson completed her 90th year on Saturday last, in full possession of her faculties. She knits a pair of stockings a week—a good example for some of our *modern grandmothers*.

☞ Mr. Emery Boyington, of Jefferson, going a short time since from his house to his barn, saw an eagle pounce down upon a goose in his yard; and while devouring his prey, he made a descent upon the royal robber and triumphantly made him prisoner. He is of large size, measuring six feet from tip to tip of the wings, and possesses great strength.

Ex-President Van Buren is now in Rome, with his son, living in a small house with a large garden, on the Via Gregoria. He finds a winter residence in Rome to agree with his health.

☞ Owing to the absence of the editor the notices of a large number of publications received have been omitted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Editorial Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10, 1854.

This is truly a great city,—not exactly on account of the beauty and finish of the buildings generally, or the form and texture of its squares, but more particularly on account of the prominent men at present in it. The public grounds are handsomely laid out, and they will look well a dozen years hence, if they are then finished. The general aspect of Washington and its suburbs is anything but pleasing to the eye,—it should not be so. The capital of this great nation should excel in beauty and form, with all that wealth and public spirit can add to it.

This city wants commerce to send it forward to prosperity, and that can never be,—it must depend on the appropriations of Congress, and the interest drawn from multitudes of strangers who pass a few months here during the sessions of Congress. I was in this city at the inauguration of James Munroe, when it lay in ashes, from its destruction by the British during the war of 1812. I can discover marks now which I saw then.

The public buildings are large and some of them worthy our notice. The Capitol is the finest building in our country, and when the two wings are finished, will surpass any building of the kind in the world. The President's house is sightly, the grounds laid out with much beauty, so are the grounds around the Capitol; the grass is looking green, the buds begin to swell, and when these grounds are in full verdure, they must be very attractive.

There are many objects of great interest in Washington; it would make a long letter to describe them. I shall only name a few.

The marble statue of Washington by Powers, is what every American looks on with pleasure and veneration. It is in a sitting posture, very large and imposing, placed in a large square, in front of the Capitol. The rotunda of the Capitol is ornamented with six large and splendid paintings on canvass, of scenes in the Revolution, beautiful and interesting in the extreme. The halls of Congress are all in the best of style, and creditable to the nation. The Smithsonian Institute is a very large block of buildings in Grecian order, surrounded with large and well laid out grounds. This institution is one of John Quincy Adams' "lighthouses in the skies,' a noble institution. Near by is the "Washington Monument," slowly rising to the memory of that great man, a great shame to us Americans that it moves so slow. The bronze statue of Gen. Jackson, which stands on Lafayette Square, in front of the President's house, is one of the great works of art in this modern age. I have never looked on so imposing and complete accomplishment of art as this statue by Mr. Mills,—it must be seen to be appreciated. It stands on a high pedestal, the horse and rider in war equipments, the horse in the attitude of rearing, ears and nostrils full of the war alarm, the rider's right arm extended and holding his military hat, his left holding the bridle, the whole a scene of rare interest. I have attended on both houses of Congress, heard some good speaking, seene all the great men and numerous little ones, have had the pleasure of an interview with Hon. Edward Everett, Hon. Charles Sumner of the Senate, and Hon. Edward Dickinson from Northampton, of the House of Representatives. This evening I attended the Levee at the White House, mingled with the many visitors, shook hands with many of the prominent men, and was cordially received by President Pierce, all of which incidents will make a future diary for the Journal.

I leave in the morning for North Carolina, from some part of which you will hear from me.

G. M. F.

[For the Journal.]

Light! Light! was the cry of Ajax, and so may it be in Woburn. The principal cities, and many of the towns are being supplied with gas, and it is a conceded point, that it is far more brilliant and convenient if not more economical, which is the first and last question, (and justly so too.) It has been ascertained that the same quantity of light with gas, would be less expensive than oil at the present price of coal.

A tank of sufficient dimensions could be erected for about 1500 dollars, and this will be large enough for the present purpose. There are at this moment about 40 stores, public buildings and residences that would probably introduce gas if they could be supplied. A company with the very moderate capital of $10,000 could be formed without much difficulty if started by some enterprising person. May we not hope that speedy measures will be taken to forward so noble an object?

RAG ROCK.

[For the Journal.]

MR. EDITOR:—I see by the papers, that Boston has commenced making arrangements for the celebration of the glorious 4th of July It has been suggested that Woburn call home her children on the ensuing anniversary of our Independence. We have all the materials for a spirited commemoration worthy of the Adams school. We have talent for all talking purposes. We have as good an escort as in the state, and nothing is wanted but *one spark* of that fire of liberty that made us free, to celebrate the ensuing 4th of July acceptably. It will be a saving operation also by retaining our citizens at home.

STARK.

☞ Mothers may well rejoice in Mr. Spalding's great discovery of the virtues of Castor Oil and Rosemary; for besides beautifying and strengthening children's hair, it cures and prevents all diseases of the scalp. It should be in every nursery, and there it would prove a rich "blessing to mothers."

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

[Winchester Correspondence of the Journal.]

No. 6.

MR. EDITOR:—The lecture two weeks ago, was by A. H. Nelson, Esq., of Woburn. Subject, "The Use of Words." The lecture was very instructive, delivered in that terse and agreeable style which characterize the productions of Mr. N., showing that "words are things," and that good expression, and appropriate words, are strong evidence of close thought, and clear ideas. The lecturer introduced many pleasing examples of the origin of words in different languages, and that the science of language is one of the most instructive and useful that can be pursued. That we should be careful in the choice of words, using those that have a significant meaning, remembering that

"Stones upon stones the orator piles in swelling words,
But words will build no walls."

The vestry of the new church is so far completed as to be used for worship. The main room is quite large, and (except in height,) is admirably arranged for the comfort of the speaker, and the convenience of the audience. The plan of finish is of no particular order of architecture, but is quite original, modeled with good taste, and finished in an elegant and substanial manner. The large room is connected with two smaller ones, by folding doors, so that the whole can be thrown into one, thus giving accommodation to a very large assembly; with two side passages leading out of doors, by which the audience in the rear can pass out without the inconvenience of waiting till those in front have retired.

The Orthodox Society are fortunate in having the services of Rev. R. T. Robinson, who is a very engaging and interesting preacher. Much of the unhappy difference connected with the ministry of Rev. J. M. Steele has subsided, although that devoted and much-abused man has a host of ardent and lasting friends, who cannot forget the means resorted to, to destroy his connection with the church here.

Among the mechanical industry and capital of this town, none has a better reputation than that of Messrs. Church & Lane, manufacturers of piano-forte cases. Their works occupy some seven or eight large buildings, and give employment to forty hands. The work is said to be very profitable both to workmen and employers, and some of the most beautiful and rich work is here turned out that can be found in the state. Both of the principals work daily amongst their hands, setting the wholesome example, that industry is the hand-maid of prosperity.

A subject of considerabe interest has arisen here, whether the Lowell R. R. Company shall be compelled to put gates at the crossing on Main Street, so that when the cars are passing they/shall be swung across the county road. This would seem to be very well, and perhaps is, but the opponents of the gates say there would be no more security, at the same time a far greater hindrance, for people would be anxious to get across the track before the gates are swung, and therefore rush on more heedless, and when stopped by the gates, would be detained much longer: for the moment the cars have passed, danger is over, and some little time must elapse before the gates can be swung back. They say the man now stationed here with a red flag, is a sufficient warning of the approaching train. The County Commissioners have been petitioned to come on and consider the matter, for many think the place is a very dangerous one, and that sooner or later, without some other safeguard, a great sacrifice of life will be the consequence.

The Stoneham Railroad remains in *statu quo* with the prospect of a most gloomy future. It is a sad warning to all similar attempts, and shows that union and money are indispensible to its success. *Fifty-five thousand dollars* of the stock was sold a few days since at auction for *three cents* on the *hundred dollars*, the whole bringing sixteen dollars and fifty cents. The stock was originally subscribed by George T. Cahill, the contractor of the road, who has now abandoned the undertaking, and commenced a suit against the company for a non fulfillment of its contract.

More anon, R.

[For the Journal.]

MR. EDITOR:—What can be the matter with "A Farmer of Reading," that he takes so deep an interest in Woburn and Winchester affairs? The article of "A Convert" seems to have touched him in a tender point—it probably irritates and chafes—the coat, I think, must be a very snug fit; and will doubtless continue to gall until there is some way contrived to get rid of it,—or wear it off. He seems to growl and snarl like a bear robbed of her whelps. Perhaps he may keep a menagerie of those foul spirits, as pets, for his own gratification; and to entertain visitors with, on certain occasions; and fears they may be taken from him. If so, it is not so much to be wondered at, for such game is frequently sought after about this time—not so much for the sport as to rid society of the pests. And here I would suggest, whether it would not be well for the Legislature to offer a bounty for the destruction of those mischievous spirits. It has been a practice of long standing, in certain localities, I believe, to give so much a head, for crows, foxes, &c., though comparatively innocent. Now, as these vile creatures (shall I call them?) have no heads, (though they often affect the head and heart strangely,) they might offer so much,—say fifty cents, a gallon; and thus hold out an inducement to sportsmen. But I wander—it would not have seemed so strange, if the complaint had come from a Woburn man of a certain class—for there are some men who may style themselves farmers—and yet carry on beside, a more disreputable business. And it is not possible after all that this same farmer has been put in communication with those evil spirits, mentioned by "A Convert," and that they have turned his brain; so that he imagines he is in Reading, when he is all the while in Woburn? stranger things than this have happened to persons while under the influence of similar spirits.

There are some things in his article of Feb. 4th which look a little like it. Who in his right mind would throw out such a boastful challenge as the last sentence of that communication? Hear it—"I will be there and join issue with him on that or any other subject!" What wonderful knowledge; "vast and deep!" such a man must possess, if he is what he pretends to be. How can it be expected that a young convert should join in such an unequal contest, before having had time to mature his faith and strengthen his hopes on this one subject? much less upon all subjects. But still, I would advise him to "hope on, and hope ever." Those who are with him are more than those who are against him; his enemy being judge. He has doubtless a majority of the voters of the State to stand by him; and according to this learned farmer's own acknowledging, the "priests, the women and the children" on his side—a formidable army, truly, for any man, or set of men to oppose; and he might have added, the Maine Law, with all its frowning fines and prison walls, before which even Boston—that modern Pandemonium, begins to quail—and a certain class of the people of Massachusetts, whether farmers, tipplers or spirit venders, will find what he terms their "fire-side rights," somewhat abridged, we doubt not, ere long.

And if "A Convert" has been changed (as the farmer intimates,) from a drunkard to a cold water man, it ought not to be expected that he will join old associates—much less that he will form new ones of that stamp. So that I think the farmer may as well give up the hope of an acquaintance; and instead of lounging about your office and writing "doggerel rhyme," as in your Journal of the 11th, let him go home and tend his cattle, and feed and clothe his family, (it he has one,) and prepare fuel for their comforts, these cold days, instead of aiding the escape of these hot spirits, which burn, consume and destroy in their course.

AN INTERESTED SPECTATOR.

Winchester, Feb. 13th, 1854.

The Latest Foreign News, by Telegraph.

London, Saturday, Jan. 28. It is asserted that a great battle took place near Kalafat on the 26. The issue was completely in favor of the Turks.

It is asserted that the Turks have retaken two islands on the lower Danube.

Constantinople, 15th. The Turkish convoy arrived without accident, having disembarked troops and provisions at Batoum.

The pacific news from Persia is confirmed. The Turks are about to assume the offensive against Akhalsik and Gamour.

The London Times does not conceive that the tenor of the last Russian note, and Count Orloff's mission to Vienna, warrants very sanguine expectations of any peaceful change in the embarrassing position of affairs.

FRANCE. A council was held at the Tuileries on the 30th, upon the question of sending an expeditionary land force to Turkey, which was fully discussed. It is proposed to send 80,000 men in four bodies, under the command of General Caurobut, MacMahon, Pelissier and Bousquet. England will send only a small force, but will pay half the expenses.

Prince Napoleon has been sent to the Court of Belgium, it is reported, to impress on the King the necessity of acting firmly with the allies against Russia, as Belgium cannot maintain her neutrality without incurring the displeasure of France.

The Prince will go on a similar mission to Prussia and Germany.

To the 29th of January, neither Austria, Bavaria, nor Saxony has made any communication to the Germanic Diet respecting their neutrality.

SPAIN. Great discontent prevails. Revolutionary handbills are everywhere circulating. The popular feeling at present is in favor of the King of Portugal, or anybody but a Queen.

SWITZERLAND. Some political excitement exists in the Canton of Zurich. Military precautions are taken.

SWEDEN. The temper of the people is increasingly hostile to Russia. The Chambers granted with enthusiasm all extra supplies required to put the country in a state of defence.

AUSTRIA. Prince Orloff's interview with the Emperor was brief. It is not known how he succeeded. The people appear more in favor of a Western alliance. The concentration of Austrian troops goes on in Romagna.

PRUSSIA. The Prussian government has not yet spoken, but the Crown Prince is reported to have declared strongly in a Council of State, the necessity of siding with the Western powers.

PERSIA. Latest accounts say that the English influence still preponderates.

☞ Remember the Phalanx Assembly next Thursday evening. The ball season is closing, and those who love a good time, will find it with this brilliant company.

In Australia, there are sixty-five thousand more males than females.

Collector's Sale for Taxes.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of March next, at three o'clock, P. M., at the Depot of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company, in the centre village of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, (each parcel thereof belonging to a person unknown,) as shall be sufficient to pay the Taxes assessed thereon for the year eighteen hundred and fifty three, and all legal costs and charges.

Said Real Estate and Taxes are as follows, viz: Lot No. nine on a plan of the Caleb and Joshua Richardson estate, as surveyed by David Gould, May, 1847, which said lot is bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. ten about one hundred and thirty-eight feet, southerly and south-westerly by Salem street, westerly by Cedar street and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet; said lot contains about twelve thousand four hundred and seven square feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number eighteen on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. seventeen, southerly by lot No. fifteen about one hundred feet, westerly by lot No. nineteen, and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. twenty-four on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-five, southerly by Richardson street, westerly by lot number twenty-three, and notherly by lot No. thirty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number twenty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-eight, southerly by Richardson street westerly by Chestnut street, and northerly by lot number thirty-four. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty on said plan, containing about fifteen thousand one hundred and twenty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Cedar street about one hundred and twenty feet, southerly by lot No. forty-one about eighty-six feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and forty-two feet, and northerly by lots Nos. forty-two and thirty-nine about one hundred and sixty-six feet. Tax, forty-eight cents.

Lot No forty-one on said plan on Cedar street and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by said Cedar street about one hundred and thirty feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and fifty-five feet, and northerly by lot No. forty about eighty-six feet. Tax, eighteen cents.

Lot number forty-six on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-seven, southerly by Water street, westerly by Cedar street, and northerly by lot No. sixty. Tax, seventy-four cents.

Lot No. forty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-eight, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-six, and northerly by lot No. fifty-nine. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-nine, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No forty-seven, and northerly by lot No. fifty-eight. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-nine on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Chestnut street, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-eight and northerly by lot No. fifty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. fifty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. fifty-seven, southerly by lot No. forty-eight, westerly by lot No fifty-nine and northerly by Canal street. Tax, forty-five cents.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, belonging to Henry Sperry, a non-resident, as shall be sufficient to pay the taxes assessed thereon, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said real estate and taxes are as follows, viz:

Two lots of land, being lots numbered five and seven, on a recorded plan of the Ferrier land, and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by Swanton street, about one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, easterly by lot No. nine (9) on said plan, northerly by land of the heirs of Samuel Symmes, and westerly by lot No. three on said plan. Tax, $1.19.

If said Taxes, and all legal costs and charges, shall not be paid on or before said time of sale, so much of said Real Estate will then and there be sold as shall be sufficient to pay the same.

N. A. RICHARDSON,
Collector of Taxes for Winchester.

Feb. 6, 1854.

Collector's Sale.

The Proprietors of the following Lands in the town of Stoneham, in the county of Middlesex, are notified that the same are taxed in the Tax List committed to the subscriber, collector of Taxes for said town for the year 1853, as follows:

Charles W. Green,—About ten acres of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the town line between Stoneham and South Reading, south westerly and westerly by Spring street, and northerly by land of Samuel Green.—Tax $7.65.

Elias Kingsley,—Thirty acres of land in Stoneham, near the house of Lot Sweetser, and known as the "Marble Pit Lot."—Tax $7.20.

William Larabee or Successors,—Eleven and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, and bounded northerly by land of William B. Lang and Joseph Lynde, easterly by Melrose and Stoneham town line, southerly by land of James Eaton, heirs of John Lynde and land of Joseph Lynde, and westerly by land of Joseph Lynde.—Tax $4.50.

N. A. & Samuel Richardson,—Ten and three-fourths acres of land in the south westerly part of Stoneham, bounded westerly by the town line between Stoneham and Winchester, northerly by land of Darius Stevens, southerly and easterly by land of John and Marshall Symmes.—Tax $5.85.

Reading Ice Company,—Four acres of land in the north easterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by Stoneham and South Reading town line, southerly by Smith's Pond, westerly by land formerly owned by Joseph Balister, and northerly by land formerly of John Jenkins and land of Cyrus Wakefield and land of Clarissa Gould.—Tax $4 50.

Seth Tuffts,—Six acres of land situated in Stoneham, bounded northerly by land of John Barnes, westerly by land formerly belonging to David H. Burnham, southerly by land of John Bucknam, and easterly by land of Samuel Blanchard and Main street.—Tax $2,66.

A & J. Worcester,—One and one-third acres of land in the north easterly part of Stoneham, it being lots Nos. Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen and Sixteen on J. S. Eaton's Plan.—Tax $5.85.

James Eaton,—Two and a half acres of land in the south easterly part of Stoneham, it being Lot No. Eight on plan of lands in Wyoming, surveyed by Charles Whitney, bounded easterly by Wood Land Road, northerly by land now or late of W. W. Majoram, southerly by land of J. B. Eaton, and westerly by Spot Pond.

Also, about twenty and three-fourths acres of land in the southeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded northerly by Ravine Road, easterly by land of Joseph Lynde, southerly by land of Wm. Foster, and westerly by land of Wm. Foster and Charles Trull.—Tax $83.21.

A. G. Hill,—Four and three-fourths acres of land situated in the southeasterly part of Stoneham bounded northerly by land of Joseph Lynde, easterly by land of James Eaton, southerly by land formerly of Mr. Dow, and westerly by land of William Rogers.—Tax $10.17.

John F. Damon,—One-third of an acre of land in the easterly part of Stoneham, with the building thereon standing, formerly owned by Jabez Kendall, and bounded on all sides by land of Joseph Hurd.—Tax $13.05.

G. W Messenger,—Four and seven-eighths acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, viz, it being lots Nos. one, two, three, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, on Sargent's Plan.—Tax $11,70.

Otis H. Weed,—13 500 feet of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. eleven on J. S. Eaton's plan.

Also, about one and a half acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded easterly by the Boston and Maine Railroad, northerly by a street named Vernon street on J. S. Eaton's plan, and westerly by a street called Washington street, on said Eaton's plan, and southerly by land formerly owned by J. S. Edwards.—Tax $10.80.

Oliver E. Ayres,—Five-sixteenth of an acre of land in Stoneham bounded west by land of K. H Blanchard, south by Summer street, north by a passage-way, and east by land now or late of Luther Hill. Tax $1,94.

Heirs or Successors of James Pratt,—Three acres of land situated in Stoneham, it being an Island in Spot Pond known by the name of Great Island.

Also about two and a half acres of land in the southerly part of Stoneham, bounded southerly by the town line between Stoneham and Medford, and westerly, northerly and easterly by the shore of Spot Pond.—Tax $5 85.

Thaddeus Richardson,—One and a half acres of land with house and other buildings standing thereon, bounded northerly by William's street, easterly by land of Oliver Richardson, and southerly and westerly by land of the heirs or successors of Thaddeus Richardson, late of Stoneham, deceased.—Tax $8,91.

Mr. Anquerra or Successors, Eight acres of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, bounded westerly by the heirs of Joseph Hopkins, southerly by land of J.W. Converse, easterly and northerly by the town line between Stoneham and South Reading.—Tax $2.75.

J. B. Starkeweather,—One third acre of land in the northeasterly part of Stoneham, it being lot No. six on J S. Eaton's plan.—Tax $1.13.

And if no person shall appear to discharge said Taxes and charges upon the same, on or before Saturday, March 11th, next, at one o'clock, P. M., I shall at that time proceed to sell, at my Office in Stoneham, by public auction, so much of said respective lands as shall be sufficient to discharge said Taxes, and all necessary and intervening charges.

JABEZ C. CROOKER,
Collector of Stoneham.

Stoneham, Feb. 1, 1854.—3t

DIED.

"And what's a life? the flourishing array
Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

Feb. 4, Geo. W. son of Geo. and Phebe Chapman, aged 2 years, 9 months and 14 days.

Feb 7, Ruth Ann, daughter of John and Elizabeth Chain, aged 1 year and 8 months.

In Winchester, 11th inst., of lung fever, Phineas Stone, aged 68 years.

The deceased was a man of unblemished character—modest and respected as a citizen—kind and affectionate as a husband—faithful and beloved as a parent—his memory will be cherished longest by those who knew him in all the walks of life. R.

MARRIED.

"There are moments in this fleeting life
When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

In this town, 12th inst., by Rev. J. B. Holman, Mr. Thomas A. Chandler to Miss Everline A. Stoddard, both of this town.

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Woburn Post Office, February 15, 1853.

Aldridge, John	McNutty, James
Aleny, Miss Susan W.	McAnnally, James
Bowen, Mrs Ellen M	Moynouph, Miss E 2
Branard, J	Morton, Miss Mary
Berlingham, Chas	McGaffigan, Miss S
Bolster, Thomas	Maley, Winny D
Beagly, Joseph	McGrath, Michael
Bugbee, Mrs Louisa B	Munson, Miss H F
Burnham, Wm R	Murry, James
Bennett, Wm S	McQuestion, James
Berry, Moses C	McQuiggin, James
Bronson, Almira Mrs A	Marston, Mrs Mary E
Burnam, Mrs S	McGowan, James
Barnum, T	Mulholand, John
Bigney, Peter	Marston, Doct E
Berry, Miss Mary	Mather, John
Black, Miss Sarah E 2	Muldoon, Luke
Brooks, Miss Caroline	Nichols, Wm
Beers, Mrs Betsy S	Newman, James
Brooks, Edw'd W	Phillips, Wm
Billings, Marcus	Parker, Lucinda R
Blaisdell, Chas H	Phillips, Asa
Came, D	Parks, Robt W
Cabe Eliakim	Page, Henry A
Church & Sane	Parker, John I
Coffey, Mary	Patrick, Mr
Crosby, R P 2	Parker, Thadens
Currier, Dan'l M.	Pierce, Samuel
Conway, James	Poor, John
Converse, N S	Prescott, John M
Challis, Gideon	Parker, Susan Miss
Carpenter, Miss E F S	Robinson, Chas H
Cutler Wm	Rollins, John
Carney, Edward	Rudy, Michael
Carson, Robert	Rupham, Sylvanus
Davis, L P 3	Richardson, Mrs Mary
Day, Mrs Clara M	Richardson, Moses
Davis, J S	Richardson, Alfred
Dulevan, Charles	Richards, J B
Dillaire, Charles	Reed, Nancy D
Douglass, Miss Julia	Rollins, Elijah
Dalavey, Wm	Reed, Isaac D
Eaton, J M	Scott, James
Elliot, Mary Miss	Smith, Wm G
Frances, Mrs Martha	Stowell, Abel
Fowle, J W	Samson, Sewell D
Foss, Chas H	Spalding, Miss H A
Grant, J B 2	Shristian, Thomas
Hydy, Lorena	Stuart, George
Hitchings, Joshua	Seaver, John C
Hail, Thos	Sugeat, Joseph
Horn, Margaret,	Stratton, Miss C E H 2
Hutchins, Orin	Tibbetts, Miss Lydia A
Hennesey, G W	Thompson, George
Horn, Leonard M	Thwing, C H
Johnson, N B & F	Vase, John
Keenan, James 3	Ward, Miss Louisa
Kimball, S L	White, Robert
Kendall, Mrs E	Wood, Elijah
Kendall, Benj	Wyman, Stanley
Kelley, John	Watson, S
Kehely, David	Wight, Henry
Langley, S T 2	Wyman, Wm
Leathe, Miss Mary P	Wyman, Eliza P
Lawrence, Mrs Noah M	Warren, Wm P

☞ Persons calling for Letters on this list, will please say they are ADVERTISED.

A. E. THOMPSON, POSTMASTER.

Special Notices.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, by Parker L. Converse, Esq.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against District No. 1 are requested to present them to the subscriber before the first day of March.

WALTER WYMAN, Prudential Committee.

Woburn, Jan. 30, 1854. tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

VALENTINES!!

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK, THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF

SENTIMENTAL,

COMIC

—AND—

JUVENILE

VALENTINES

EVER OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC, AT THE

Woburn Bookstore.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.

WILLIAM A. MILES, No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.

Feb. 11. 3w

DAVIS & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Office No. 8, Traveller Buildings, (Entrance No 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.) BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L. R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG, Woburn Centre

feb 11 3w

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. CHARLES BOND

Feb. 6. 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.

Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Safes, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.

jan 21 tf

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimmings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER, No. 206 and 208 Hanover street, Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church, BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of one cent and three mills on the dollar, is now ready for the creditors, on the estate of Moses Cummings, deceased. A. THOMPSON, Adm'r.

jan 14 3t

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

nov5 tf CHANDLER & Co.

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, BOWEN BUCKMAN, } Commissioners.

Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

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MENZIES & WHITE,

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price...All Representations Warranted

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HUNTING & EATON, EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,

HERMAN HUNTING, MARCUS EATON, } BOSTON

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.*

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choices' Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes. July 9 tt

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,

COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,

SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at WM. WOODBERRY'S.

sept. 24

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. UNION.

Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by J. S. ELLIS

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A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat WM. WOODBERRY'S.

sept. 10

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by A. ROUNDY, Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

nov12

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by L. THOMPSON

Oct. 8.

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.

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Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at J. W. HAMMOND'S.

nov 5

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.—Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by L. THOMPSON, Jr.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS. CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.

nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY, Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

METROPOLITAN FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(*Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts*)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*

E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't*, W. T. Hooker. *Secretary*, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher. Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

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For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK —OF— FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,.

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS, In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS, In elegant styles;
STRIPE " " "
BROCADE SILKS. Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS, In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS, Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS, A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS, Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS, Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many style not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,

NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by THOMAS SLEATER & CO., Foster Wharf, Boston.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. BAYLEY & CO tf

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS,

SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,

RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,

CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,

CASHMERES,

MOURNING ARTICLES,

EMBROIDERIES,

LACES, TRIMMINGS,

Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,

Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,

Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,

No. 192 Washington street,

BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.

Woburn. Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,) Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

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62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds. RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES—LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by MARTIN L. BRADFORD, 142 Washington Street, Three doors North of the Old South Church, BOSTON

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Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO., 42 & 44 Federal street

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OATS AND POTATOES.

5000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by THOS. SLEATER & CO., Foster's Wharf, Boston.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING!

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,

(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)

BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after, MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.35, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M

W. H. OSGOOD, Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

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OPENING OF THE CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by EDW. E. COOPER, Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.

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SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist. apr2

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my 28 tf JOHN ASH

JOHN MILLER, NORTH WOBURN, MASS., BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN

WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.

All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to apr30.

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S., PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.,

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for the wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	
Traveller.	New York Herald
Journal	Tribune.
Times.	Commonwealth
Herald.	Rambler.
Commonwealth.	Banner.
WEEKLY	Museum.
Traveller	MAGAZINES.
Journal.	Waverly
Bee.	Harper's
Woburn Journal	Lady Book
Olive Branch	Graham's.
Flag of our Union.	Sartain's.
Drawing Room Companion.	London Art Journal
	Living Age.

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MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA, AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,

Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.

Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares

D. B. MOREY. R. H. OBER } Dealers are invited to call and examine.

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A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spaulding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.

J. RUSSEL SPALDING, Druggist and Apothecary, 23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum, Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W. Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishely

W. M. WESTON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN,

DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles Butter Knives &c.

Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.

ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.

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CONVERSE & Co.,

WOBURN AND BOSTON R. R.

EXPRESS.

5 TRIPS DAILY.

OFFICES. { 10 Court Square, Boston, R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,

Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. april3tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

AMOS LOCKE.

☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.

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THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr., Knight's Building, Main street.

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Stoves for Sale.

FOUR Second-Hand Stoves, nearly new, for sale cheap. Enquire at this office.

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at W. WOODBERRY'S.

march 19.

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a good assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.

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Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

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FALL AND WINTER STOCK
—OF—
Gentlemen's Youths' & Boys
CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS!
RECENTLY MANUFACTURED. ALSO,
Rich Piece Goods, &c.
JU T RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ON THE LOW
One Price Cash System,
—AT—
OAK HALL
CLOTHING HOUSE,
NORTH STREET,
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VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.
nov4 tf CHANDLER & Co.

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

Boston Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. Eastman & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

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Jan. 1854 tf

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READY-MADE CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.
FOWLE'S BLOCK.
Woburn, Oct. 1, 1853. 3m

PLAIN CASHMERES, &c. &c.

CHANDLER & Co.

Have now opened their entire importation of

6-4 CASHMERES for Ladies' Dresses.

Of the most approved styles of goods, and in the most fashionable shades of color, many of which are quite new.

We invite the attention of purchasers, both at wholesale and retail, to our very large and complete assortment of these goods, assuring them that

A More Full and Desirable Assortment
IS NOT TO BE FOUND.

Our assortment of HIGH COLORED CASHMERES, for Children's wear, is large, and contains many of the choicest colors.

We have also in store, of our own importation, a fine assortment of THIBET CLOTHS and plain MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.

Chandler & Co.
Nos. 6 & 8 SUMMER STREET, BOSTON.
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COCOA, Bone and Ivory handled Knives and Fork, at
sep. 10. WM. WOODBERRY'S

Never Failing Remedy!

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

A Cripple Sets Aside his Crutches after Ten Years Suffering.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Thompson, Chemist, Liverpool, dated August 20th, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—I am enabled to furnish you with a most extraordinary cure effected by your invaluable Ointment and Pills, which has astonished every person acquainted with the sufferer. About 10 years ago, Mr. W. Cummins, of Saltney Street, in this town, was thrown from his horse, whereby he received serious injuries; he had the best of medical advice at the time, and was afterwards an inmate of different infirmaries, yet he grew worse, and at length a malignant running ulcer settled in his hip, which so completely crippled him, that he could not move without crutches for nearly 10 years; recently he began to use your Ointment and Pills, which have now healed the wound, strengthened his limb, and enabled him to dispense with his crutches, so that he can walk with the greatest ease, and with renewed health and vigor

(Signed) J. THOMPSON.

A Most Extraordinary Cure of a Dreadful Skin Disease when all Medical Aid had Failed.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Hird, Draper, Keady, near Gainsbro', dated March 1st, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—Some time since, one of my children was afflicted with dreadful eruptions over the body and limbs. I obtained the advice of several eminent Surgeons and Physicians, by all of whom the case was considered hopeless. At length I tried your Ointment and Pills, and without exaggeration, the effect was miraculous, for by persevering in their use, all the eruptions quickly disappeared, and the child was restored to perfect health.

I previously lost a child from a similar complaint and I firmly believe, had I in her case adopted your medicines she would have been saved also. I shall be happy to testify the truth of this to any enquirer.

(Signed) J. HIRD, Draper

Certain Remedy for Scorbutic Humours—and an Astonishing Cure of an old Lady 70 Years Age, of a Bad Leg.

Copy of a Letter from Messrs. Walker & Co., Chemists, Bath.

To PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR,—Among the numerous cures effected by the use of your valuable medicine in this neighbourhood, we may mention that of an old lady living in the Village of Preston, about five miles from this City. She had ulcerated wounds in her leg for many years, and latterly they increased to such an alarming extent as to defy all the usual remedies; her health rapidly giving way under the suffering she endured. In this distressing condition she had recourse to your Ointment and Pills, and by the assistance of her friends, was enabled to persevere in their use, until she received a perfect cure. We have ourselves been greatly astonished at the effect upon so old a person, she being above 70 years of age. We shall be happy to satisfy any enquiries as to the authenticity of this really wonderful case, either personally or by letter.

A private in the Bath Police Force, also, has been perfectly cured of an old scorbutic affection in the face after all other means had failed. He states that it is entirely by the use of your Ointment, and speaks loudly in its praise

We remain, Dear Sir,
Your's faithfully
April 6th, 1852 (signed) WALKER & Co.

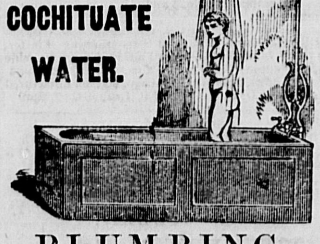
The Pills should be used conjointly with the Ointment in most of the following cases:—

Bad Legs,	Corns, (Soft,)	Scalds,
Bad Breasts,	Cancers,	Sore Nipples,
Burns,	Contracted and Stiff Joints,	Sore-throats,
Bunions,	Elephantiasis,	Skin-diseases,
Bite of Moschetoes and Sand Flies,	Fistulas,	Scurvy,
Coco-Bay,	Gout,	Sore-heads,
Chiego-foot,	Glandular Swellings,	Tumours,
Chilblains,	Lumbago,	Ulcers,
Chapped hands,	Piles,	Wounds,
	Rheumatism,	Yaws.

Sold at the Establishment of Professor Holloway, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar,) London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United Staes in Pots and Boxes, at 37½ cents, 87½ cents and $1.50 cents, each. There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot.

Wholesale by the principal drug houses in the Union, and by Messrs. A. B. & D. Sands, N. Y; and by Messrs. Redding & Co., Boston, Mass. jan 15 eowly



COCHITUATE WATER.

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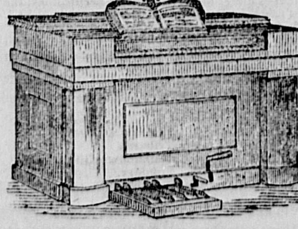

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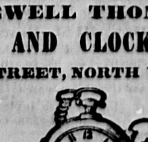

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POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

THE VOICE OF GOD.

'Tis in the dreamy hush of night,
As from her spangled wings,
She shakes the pearly dew of heaven,
And broods all living things.

It floats on every passing breeze,
It lurks in every flower,
But lingers, when the flower-cup
Hath lost its dazzling power.

It floats on every fleecy cloud,
Whose silvery fingers bear
The light of the Creator's smile,
Throughout the ambient air.

It speaks in the folds of the dark cloud,
Where muttering thunders roll,
And sharp eyes of the lightning,
That flash from pole to pole.

'Tis in the music of the bird,
That dips his silken wing
In the light of heaven, that hallowed shore,
Where the happy angels sing.

The voice of God is everywhere,
'Tis in each dawning ray
That hides the dawning shades of night,
From the unfolding day.

The witching silver eye of Night,
That rolls in its socket blue,
Though speechless, speaks it audibly,
Though old, forever new.

It cometh on the azure wave,
That treadeth out the foam,
And on the bosom of the lake,
Where tiny ripples roam.

It cometh from the cloud-capped mount.
It breathes from out the sod,
And everythin of Nature's make
Murmurs the voice of God.

Without it, life were vacancy,
And Heaven had lost its charms;
Without it, who would fall asleep?
Clasped in Death's icy arms. L.

Winchester, Jan. 23, 1854.

[For the Journal.]

OUR SWEET LITTLE FAIRY.

BY THEKLA—THE RECLUSE.

I suppose you have heard that on Hazel Green,
A sweet little fairy at evening is seen,
Near a clump of wild rose-bushes, some dozen or more,
I suppose you have heard of the story before;
She frolicks and sings and at twilight is seen,
A skipping about all over the green.

How she came here, perhaps would interest you too,
And this part of the tale to you may be new
It is said a bright cloud, all silvery one day,
Floated up from the West and o'er Hazel Green lay;
It is said that at evening, at twilight so mild,
The cloud passed away, but left this sweet child.

Come see this sweet fairy, with silvery hair,
Her voice full of music, rings out on the air—
'Tis a part of your own pretty town where she's seen,
A part of our Woburn, called bright Hazel Green;
'Tis a bright charming spot, it hath a sweet spell,
Where silvery clouds float, and sweet fairy's dwell.

Hazel Green, 1854.

To Maidens on the look out for Mates. If a man wipes his feet on the door-mat before coming into the room, you may be sure he will make a good domestic husband. If a man in snuffing the candles snuffs them out, you may be sure he will make a stupid husband. If a man puts his handkerchief on his knees while taking his tea, you may be sure he will make a prudent husband In the same way, always mistrust the man who will not take the last piece of toast or Sally Lunn, but prefers waiting for the next warm batch. It is not unlikely he will make a greedy, selfish mate, with whom you will enjoy no brown at dinner, no crust at tea, no peace whatever at home. The man, my dears, who wears goloshes, and is careful about wrapping himself up well before venturing into the night air, not unfrequently makes a good invalid husband, that mostly stops at home, and is easily comforted with slops. The man who watches the kettle, and prevents it from boiling over, will not fail, my dears, in his married state, in exercising the same care in always keeping the pot a boiling. The man who does'nt take tea, ill treats the cat, takes snuff, and stands with his back to the fire, is a brute, whom I would not advise you to marry on any consideration, either for love or money, but most decidedly not for love. But the man who, when tea is over, is discovered to have had none, is sure to make the best husband. Patience like his deserves being rewarded with the best of wives, and the best of mothers-in-law. My dears, when you meet with such a man, do your utmost to marry him. In the severest winter he would not mind going to bed first. [Punch's Pocket-book.

A Hint to Farmers. Mr. Sanders, the American Consul at London, in a letter published in the New York Herald, says:

"Finally, our farmers should sow plenty of spring wheat, and plant any quantity of Indian corn. The Baltic and Black seas will certainly be closed for at least a twelve month. England and Western and Southern continental Europe will have to look to the United States alone for a supply of breadstuffs, hithesto obtained from those seas."

Our farmers will do well to act upon this suggestion. There will undoubtedly be a demand for all the surplus breadstuffs we can raise, perhaps for several years to come, and farming will be one of the safest and most profitable branches of industry.

ORIGINAL.

Written for the Journal.

REVOLUTIONARY RECORDS.

Mr. Editor:—I send you a copy of a revolutionary document, recently found among the papers of the late Samuel Thompson, (he was born 1732 and died 1820.) If you think it would gratify the readers of your paper to publish it, this copy is at your service.

Yours, &c., C. T.

North Woburn, Feb. 18, 1854.

COPY.

December 23, 1773. The Freeholders and other inhabitants of Woburn, being legally assembled, it was moved by our committee of correspondence, that a letter should be read which they received from the committee of correspondence in Boston, which was accordingly done, they then deliberated the affair and chose a committee to draught something to lay before the town at their next meeting, and then adjourned to December the 30th, and when met by adjournment, the committee chosen for that purpose, presented the following to the town for their consideration:

The inhabitants of this town apprehend it to be a matter of sorrow, and at the same time a matter of just resentment, that we still behold the enemies of America making use of so many crafty and subtle schemes to subject us to pay an unconstitutional duty or tax, which they have artfully laid upon those commodities that are most likely to effect their purpose.

We should justly incur the displeasure of our fellow countrymen, and be guilty of a gross neglect of ourselves and posterity, if we should be silent under the present universal uneasiness, (in this and the neighboring colonies,) caused by an act of Parliament permitting the East India Company to transport their Tea into America, which, if once landed and sold, every purchaser or consumer must pay his share of an unconstitutional *Tax*, which money, when thus extorted from us, must go to support a number of persons, (in Luxury and Idleness,) who in an eminent manner may justly be stiled the *Locusts* and *Caterpillars* of this land.

We are much astonished that there can be found among us a new set of Task-masters,—Consignees, Factors or others, that are so abandoned to the interest of their country, and so obdurate to the hearty petitions and requests of the most respectable people in this province, as to persist in such measures as evidently tend to the prejudice of the nation—and, for a little sordid self interest, will sacrifice both the Liberty and property of their fellow countrymen, making it manifest to us that they are no better than Vultures, who, if they had it in their power, would prey on the vitals of the people.

As for Tea, it is what many of us admire when the Stench of Duty is taken out of it, but tea so tainted with duty, our stomachs cannot digest, and there is a universal abhorance and loathing created within us against all such as has that odious ingredient mixed with it, and so long as this poison is mixed with it, so long we are determined to make no use of it.

Therefore, Resolved, that we will use all lawful measures to prevent the Buying, Selling or using any such tea or any other commodity whereby we must be subjected to pay any duty or tax contrary to our charter privilege.

We further Resolve, that we will exert ourselves in all lawful measures—and we deem it an indispensable duty to join with our American Brethren, to prevent this, and all other unconstitutional strides of ministerial power—and as we have had so many repeated attacks of this kind, so much the more we shall be on our watch to maintain and defend our priviledges civil and sacred; and under the present gloomy aspect of the times we think it highly necessary to hold a free correspondence with any or all the towns in this Province—and this Province with other Governments at this important crisis, so that we may gain the wisdom and prudence of the whole; and, under God's direction be able to adopt such measures as shall entirely subvert the machinations of those who are laborious and indefatigable to introduce Tyrany and oppression in the room of Freedom and happiness.

Benj. Wyman,
David Blanchard, } Com'ittee.
Samuel Thompson.

The Abuses of Divorce. The facility by which divorces may be obtained in some of the Western States is notorious, and, if continued, cannot fail to result, as the population grows denser and their habits more luxurious, in melancholy consequences to society. A correspondent of the Tribune writes from a village in Indiana, that in that village lives a mother who has been divorced from her husband and bears another name, and whose two daughters are each divorced wives—one of them having obtained her bill while her husband lay on his death-bed; while in the same village resides a man who has two wives living (one of them divorced,) and these wives are *mother and daughter!*

No street in Constantinople has a name, nor is there a lamp in it, yet there are five hundred thousand inhabitants! There is not a post office nor a mail route in all Turkey, nor a church bell!

SELECTED.

NIAGARA IN WINTER.

It is but seldom that we hear from Niagara in the winter, and therefore the following from the editorial correspondence of the New York Courier and Enquirer, is decidedly interesting:

"Niagara is in all its glory. Grand, sublime, imposing it always is, but now it is more—it is radiant with beauty. It not only awes but it fascinates; it is not stupendous, but it is exquisite. He who has never seen Niagara in mid-winter has never seen it in all its superbness. The summer tourist knows it only in its sternest aspect. Except that rainbow which ever spans the 'hell of waters,' there is ordinarily not one touch of beauty about Niagara. Wildness there is, ruggedness, vastness—yes, and an overwhelming sublimity, a sublimity incomparable. Therein every other natural curiosity in either hemisphere is tame beside it. The vastest mountains cannot vie with it in effect, for it has, what they cannot have, movement; and magnitude in motion is always more impressive than magnitude at rest.

But this unmatched grandeur is now combined with as matchless a beauty. The frost has wrought a fairy work with the grim old cataract. It has thrown about it a garniture, that outshines the wealth of 'Ormus or the Ind.' Every rock glitters, and every stone, every trunk, every branch, every twig, every gnarled root, and every blade of grass. The frozen spray has transfigured everything. From the edge of the flood to the foot of the precipice, it has sheeted the banks with the purest Parian. It has hung the crags with gleaming icicles. It has encrusted the trees, both the leafless and the evergreen, so that they stand out before you like chiseled emerald. This incrustation is nearly an inch in thickness, and yet it marvellously preserves the form of every portion of the tree underlying it, even down to the smallest twig. And so with the tangled bushes that skirt the brow of the rock; nothing can be more fantastic than their luxuriant, snow white, involute tracery. The ground, too, entirely free from snow, whitened o'er with this same gleaming coat of frost, is put in keeping with the scene. None who did not behold it can imagine the effect of the clear rays of yesterday's setting sun as they glanced through the spray which floated off to the Canadian side, and burnished with an unearthly lustre the landscape that overhung the roaring gorge. Verily, I have seen the flowering time of Niagara.

There is another winter effect on Niagara which is worth noticing. The large quantity of ice borne down from the Lake is completely pulverized as it plunges down the abyss. But, though disintegrated, it is not dissolved, and the river, a short distance below, is completely covered with its floating particles. As it is hurried along, much of it gradually disappears in the turbulent torrent, but a large portion reaches the whirl below Lewiston, and there floats about like thick snowy froth upon the surface It entirely covers the large basin, and presents a most extraordinary appearance, as it is swept about at the varying impulses of a thousand currents and eddies. Till one has seen the whirlpool in this state he does not half know the conflict of its waters. Every movement is made apparent. There is a certain cohesion in the triturated ice, but it is so slight that it readily yields at every impulse of the water beneath; and you may see a field of it, perhaps an acre in extent, slowly swinging around in one direction, while within it, and forming a part of it, are patches borne alone in directions diverse, some even turning in circuits directly opposite. This gyrating coating covers the basin, for it is replenished above as rapidly as it crumbles off into the current below.

There are very few strangers here. The large hotels are all closed; the curiosity shops are locked up; the Indians are hybernating; the ferry boats are in winter quarters, and not even the Ice-King Jotum, would dare venture behind the cataract now; but still I am bound to say, if you would see Niagara aright, come view it in January. The 'pale moonlight,' I doubt not, becomes Melrose right royally, for all that, Sir Walter, who was so profuse in its praise, was never there to see; but as for Niagara by winter, I can testify yet more positively. Not in long-low poetry, but in plain, blunt prose; not by faith, but by sight, I can affirm that Niagara's best days are the shortest days."

A Receipt in Full.

Everybody's in debt. We don't care how often he settles up, nor how many receipts he can show, nor how religiously he has gone upon the "cash principle." There's one receipt he cannot show, and for the best reason in the world—he never received it, viz., a receipt in full for "good will unto men." Some people—a few, and we are glad they don't multiply—imagine they have squared off with the world, but it's all all a mistake, and they will find it so, when the books come to be balanced some Saturday night. You can always tell one of these cash customers of the world—sometimes in one way, sometimes in another. We saw one the other day, in a Broadway omnibus. It was a keen, cold day; the omnibus was like a barn; the straw rustled frostily upon the floor, and there were "ten inside," including three half-clad, innocent children, two or three women, and our man who "kept no books" with the world or anybody in it. He rode a few blocks, and gave the check a most emphatic pull—a Yankee would have called it a "*yank.*" He vouchsafed his traveling companions no explanation of the convulsive movement. Indeed none was needed, for the tw[illegible]ons therefor were as plain as a pike-stan[illegible]st, to let us know he was somebody; and [illegible]d, to show he was'nt afraid. Well, the driv[illegible] brought to," as in duty bound, and strai[illegible]ay one eye, and a section of a red face, w[illegible]visible at the loop-hole aloft. Thermome[illegible] were down and going further, but what [illegible]red our passenger for that? With grave de[illegible]eration, he unbuttoned a capacious over[illegible]t. Gliddon would unrol a mummy in less [illegible]me. The children were crying with cold, [illegible] what did he care? He didn't owe them an[illegible]ing—did he? There was a man about to be[illegible]st too late for the cars by this detention. [illegible]as that anything to him? Slowly he [illegible]ned his inner coat, and commenced a [illegible]berate search for his purse—why was'[illegible] sent in quest of Sir John Franklin? [illegible] wasn't in his pantaloons pockets, nor in his left vest pocket. He was clearly satisfied of that fact, and so, quite at his leisure, he drew it forth from the right pocket. Here a man and two children left the stage in despair. Did he forthwith produce a sixpence, or two nimble threepenny pieces? Not he—why should he? He cared for nobody. A wad of bills carefully looked over disclosed a "one," which was passed up to a pair of red fingers that had been impatiently parted at the loop-hole aforesaid, for the last three minutes; for you must know that three minutes is a long time to sit stock still in an omnibus, with the mercury down to "0," to speak of, and you in a hurry. There was a jingling in the little treasury, on deck—the change was passed back, deposited in the purse, the purse in the pocket, and the man made his heigira, with the air of a martyr. Who does'nt believe that he thought he had a receipt in his pocket from "the rest of mankind, in full of all demands, and no E. E." about it. [Tribune.

The Marriage Altar.

Judge Carleton, whose death the telegraph chronicled some days since, in an Address before the Young Men's Library Association of Augusta, Ga., thus eloquently sketches the marriage scene:—

"I have drawn many pictures of death; let me sketch for you a brief, but bright scene of beautiful life. It is the marriage altar. A lovely female, clothed in all the freshness of youth and beauty, leans on the arm of him to whom she has just plighted her faith; to whom she has just given herself forever. Look in her eyes, ye gloomy philosophers, and tell me if you dare that there is no happiness on earth.

See the trusting, the heroic devotion which impels her to leave country, parents, for a comparative stranger. She has launched her frail bark upon a wide and stormy sea; she has handed over her happiness and doom in this world to another's keeping; but she has done it fearlessly, for love whispers to her that her chosen guardian and protector bears a manly and noble heart. Oh, woe to him that forgets his oath and his manhood!

'Her dark wing shall the raven flap
O'er the false hearted,
His warm blood the wolf shall lap,
Ere life departed.
Shame and dishonor sit
On his grave ever;
Blessings shall hallow it
Never! Oh! never!'

We have all read the story of the husband who, in a moment of hasty wrath said to her who had a few months before united her fate to his—'If you are not satisfied with my conduct, go, return to your friends and to your happiness.' 'And will you give me back that which I brought you?' asked the despairing wife. 'Yes,' he replied, 'all your wealth shall go with you—I covet it not.' 'Alas!' she answered, 'I thought not of my wealth—I spoke of my devoted loves; can you give these back to me?' 'No,' said the man, as he flung himself at her feet; 'no, I cannot restore these, but I will do more—I will keep them unsullied and untainted; I will cherish them through my life and in my death; and never again will I forget that I have sworn to protect and cherish her who gave up for me all she held most dear.'

Did I not tell you there was poetry in a woman's look—a woman's word? See it here! the mild, the gentle reproof of love, winning back from harshness and rudeness the stern and unyielding temper of an angry man. Ah, if creation's fairest sex only knew their strongest weapons, how many of wedlock's fiercest battles would remain unfought—how much of unhappiness and coldness would be avoided!"

After so long a time, the reason why men wear "shawls" is accounted for. A fellow attending a party, accidentally got drunk, and in retiring mistook a lady's shawl for his cloak, in which habiliment he was seen upon the streets; this was immediately taken by some one as an introduction of a new fashion, and it was followed to some extent.

☞ The Portland Advertiser says it is a supposition generally conceded to be true, that cords of wood given to the poor, are *recorded above.*

A Buddhist Temple in Ceylon.

The massive walls of the temple reminded me of the Dutch buildings in the Fort of Colombo; in their thickness and solidity, all the more striking from the flimsy, temporary character of the wood and leaf cottages of priests' dwellings without. Advancing into the gloomy interior, it was some time before the eye could distinguish objects, so abrupt had been the transition from the bright glare without to the comparative darkness within. At length the large outline of a recumbent figure became clearly perceptible in the surrounding gloom—a gigantic image of Gotama Buddha, the man-god of Buddhism, reclining on his right ride, with his right hand under his head. There was little or nothing in the sculpture of the figure to admire, for all was glaring and exaggerated, but its faults were hidden by the imperfect light; the great fact which impressed itself on my mind, and doubtless which impresses itself powerfully on the minds of thousands of worshippers, being, that there, within two yards of us, was the image of a man worshipped by more votaries than any other man or god, real or pretended, that the world has ever seen or heard of! That was the impression that sunk deep into my mind, as I gazed, almost awe-struck with the thought, at the huge uncouth figure. Between three and four hundred millions of the human race are said to be believers in that wonderful being, and as many have been so for ages—believers, not in his goodness, in his holiness, in his wonder-working power merely, but believers in him as above all gods and men; "the most exalted in the universe; the chief of the universe; the most excellent in the universe; at whose conception all the worlds trembled, a preternatural light shining in each, the blind from birth received the power to see, the deaf heard the joyful noise, the dumb burst forth into song, the lame danced, the crooked became straight, those in confinement were released from their bonds, and the fires of all the hells became extinguished; and at whose birth men, angels and gods, equally confessed their inferiority and his supremacy. The history of the world affords no page more extraordinary than that which records the rise and progress of Buddhism; appearing to us in these material matter-of-fact days all romance and falsehood, but the living fact exists before our very eyes, and although the successive steps by which it reached its present greatness may be hidden from us, unlike the progress of Mahommedanism, for instance, yet its wide-spread diffusion, from Ceylon to China, from Malacca to the Caspian Sea, proves that it too has strided over the world in grandeur, and its traditions assure us, not with bloody malignity and violence, but mildly, peacefully and harmlessly. Considerations such as these invest a Buddhish temple with a mystery and significance that cannot but make it interesting to the cultivated observer. [Forest Life in Ceylon, by W. Knighton, M. A.

☞ The following amounts have been subscribed in cities designated, for the purpose of rewarding ths captains and crews of the ship Three Bells, and Antarctic, and the barqe Kilby, the rescuers of the passengsrs of the San Francisco:

New York	$17,350
Boston	9,120
Philadelphia	2,000
Baltimore	2,000
New York Exchange	4,000
Total!	$34,470

Besides the above sum, they are to have silver trumpets from the Legislature of the State of New York, medals from the Legislature of the State of New York, medals from the Marine Society of Boston, gold snuff boxes from the corporation of the city of New York, medals from the Massachusetts Humane Society, some appropriate testimonial from the Board of Trade of Baltimore, which is not yet decided upon, and, we think, something handsome will yet be done by the national Legislature at Washington.

The farming interest of California has gained but little during the year 1853. The Alta California says that the high prices of labor, the high cost of good tillable land, the low price at which agricultural produce is imported, and the want of railroads, have made farming unprofitable during the two years past. Farm laborers are paid $50 per month, and barley is worth $1 25 per bushel. The potato has been attacked by a worm which threatens to become very troublesome. Wheat has now become the principal crop, and promises to remain so. The persons residing on farms in the State number probably 80,000.

The town of Pelham has voted, 78 to 36, to surrender its charter and to parcel itself out among the surrounding towns of Amherst, Enfield, Prescott and Shutesbury. A committee has been selected to take proper measures for carrying the vote into effect. The town was incorporated in 1742, and formerly embraced the town of Prescott within its precincts. [Worcester Spy.

The ship Great Republic has been abandoned to the Underwriters. It is uncertain what will be done with her. Capt. McKay has collected the insurances on her to the amount of $825,000. He goes out soon to Liverpool in the Lightning.

WOBURN RECORDS.

DEATHS CONTINUED.

1763.

Reed, Kezia d George, in her 16th year, d April 25.
Richardson, Bethiah d Amos, d Oct 15.
Richardson, Jacob d Aug 9.
Wood, Ruth d John, d Oct 13.
Belknap, Hannah w William, d April 3.
Parker, Nathan s Lieut Josiah, d Mar 25.
Johnson, Mary w Capt Benj, d June 5.
Wood, Seth son Solomon, d Sept —.
Wright, Dea John by his own hand in a fit of delirium, April 29.

1764.

Brooks, Betty w Josiah, d of ye wid Betty Flegg, a 20, d July 3.
Fox, Mary wid Rev John, d Feb —.
Kendall' Lieut Samuel, a 83 yrs, Dec 13.
Richardson, Abel s Abel, Oct 13.
Symmes, Wm a 86 yrs, May 24.
Snow, Lydia w Timothy, a 81 yrs, Apl 27.
Richardson, Zebadiah s Zebadiah and Esther, a 5 m, Jan 4.

1765.

Brewster, Dr Lot, d Jan 13.
Brooks, Zachariah s Zachariah, Apl 26.
Tidd, Phebe w Samuel, Nov 18.
Belknap, Raphael s Samuel, Sept 24.
Convers, Ebenezer, a 56 yrs, Sept 6.
Wyman, Mary w Eliphaz, in her 28th year, Sept 6.

1766.

Tyler, Eleanor w Moses, Jan 31.
Eames, Judeth w Dea Samuel, a 71, Jan 10.
Hartwell, Ruhannah wid Dea Joseph, a 78 y, July 11.

1767.

Belknap, Lieut Wm, d Feb 2.
Reed, Ebenezer, July 9.
Wyman, Susannah w Silas, Aug 27
Fowle, Susannah w James, Esq., a 53, Nov 11.
Underwood, wid Sarah, Jan 7.
Winn, Sarah w Timothy, jr, a 25 yrs, Jan 17.
Richardson, Sarah d Noah and Phebe, a 23, Dec 9.
Wyman, Samuel in his 67th yr, Dec 23.
Cutler, John a 81 yr, Jan. 10.

1768.

Skelton, Wm s Thomas, Aug 3.
Wade, Phebe, w Ebenezer, Sept 13.
Richardson, Hannah w Joshua, Dec 27.
Kendall, Susannah d Joseph, Dec 18.
Brooks, Isaac s Nathan and Sarah, a 38 yrs, Mar 23.
Simonds, Esther, a 17 y 7 m, Sept 30.
Simonds, — w Joshua of Medford, Nov 1.
Kendall, Samuel s Obadiah and Elizabeth, a 4 yrs, Feb 22.
Richardson, Ichabod, a 63 yrs, Mar 12.
Wyman Huldah, w Nathan, a 68 yrs, May 28.
Thompson, Abigail w Lieut Samuel, a 35 yrs, Sept 21.
Richardson, Abigail d Noah and Phebe, a 26 yrs, July 23.
Reed, Rebecca w Henry, strangely burned to death, Jan 18.

1769.

Reed, Abigail, Dec 25.
Walker, Judeth, d Joshua and Mary, Jan 19.
Simonds, Kathrine d Benjamin and Susannah, Aug 23.
Carter, Margaret w Capt Samuel, a 71 yrs, Sept 27.
Brooks, Benj, suddenly by the falling of a tree, a 52 yrs, Jan 6.
Skinner, Susanna w Abraham, a 23 yrs, Jan 8.
Richardson, Thomas s Jeduthan and Mary, a 26 yrs, Feb 29.

1770.

Winn, Mrs Mary, July 27.
Reed, Jacob s Jacob and Elizabeth, Dec 30.
Kendall, Jacob, May 11.
Wyman, Zebadiah, a 61 yrs, Jan 6.
Blanchard, Jesse s David and Abijah, in his 5th year, Mar 10.

1771.

Richardson, Rebekah w Thomas, a 79 yrs, April 11.
Simonds, Caleb, Aug 22.
Richardson, Jacob, Oct 13.
Carter, Thomas, Sept 29.
Fox, Abigail w William, a 28, Oct 26.
Wyman, Eli, Feb 4.
Simond, Susannah w Caleb, Oct 29.
Carter, Lieut Jabez, a 71 yrs, July 10.
Thompson, Arphaxad, s Samuel and Abigail, a 8 yrs, 9 m, Dec 15.

1772.

Fowle, Jonathan, d May 26.
Carter, Abigail widow Lieut Jabez, a 73 yrs, Feb 3.
Wyman, Abigail w Dea Samuel, a 53 yrs Aug 3.
Munroe, Jonathan, d about June 1.
Winn, Hezekiah, —.

1773.

Fowle, Mrs Sarah, Jan 21.
Eaton, Noah jr, Dec 10.
Cook, wid, Mar 13.
Richardson, James, Oct 1.
Richardson, Thomas, a 67 yrs, June 18.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, FEB. 25, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co

Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.

Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.

Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

EDITORIAL.

GAS VERSUS LARD OIL.

Though we are about to inflict upon our readers a few thoughts on a gasy subject, we beg they will not suppose that we are *gassing*. It is our purpose to submit a few plain thoughts in sober prose on the advantages of gas over lard oil, and the importance of increasing the quantity and improving the quality of the light in our goodly town. As a preliminary argument, we would just state that, in many respects, Woburn possesses superior advantages, as a place of residence; its diversified surface, delightful scenery, and the opportunities for communication with the metropolis, are unsurpassed by any of the neighboring cities or towns. But Cambridge, Charlestown, Roxbury, Chelsea, Somerville, have already added to their many other advantages, that of a supply of pure, brilliant light; Medford, Malden, and other places are following their example. That Woburn may not be left as one of the dark places of the earth, some of our public spirited citizens are anxious to increase our stock of light by the introduction of gas.

The advantages of gas-light over that produced by oil, camphene, or any other fluid, are possibly too apparent to be here enumerated. Its clearness, brilliancy and volume, render it peculiarly desirable wherever light is desirable—in manufactories, in stores, in dwelling-houses. Its cleanliness, the ease with which the light may be obtained at any moment, the facility of increasing or decreasing the quantity of light, not to mention the avoidance of dim lamps and snuffers, are additional arguments in its favor. The day is not far distant when we shall be compelled to rescind the regulation requiring each individual to carry a lantern on dark nights, and devise some means for lighting our streets and highways. What more feasible or advantageous method for doing this than the erection of iron posts and a brilliant flood of gas light?

Another very important consideration, in these days of utilitarianism and retrenchment, is the fact of its cheapness; that is, that any given quantity of light produced by gas does not cost as much as the same quantity produced by oil. Added to all these considerations is the fact that at some period the measure now proposed will be indispensable. That period is rapidly hastening; should not a commencement be made now? The matter is well worthy the attention of our citizens, and we are happy to know that some have taken hold of the subject in right good earnest. The feasibility of the project, the ease with which the gas could be introduced, the readiness of gentlemen who have aided in like measures in other places to give us the advantages of their experience, skill and even material aid, are no unimportant items. A company, we doubt not, could be easily formed, the necessary amount of stock taken up, and the gas introduced, before Rip Van Wrinkle could open his eyes.

"Will it pay?" ah, that's the question of all others to be answered. We can only say it has paid in other places. In Cambridge, the Gas Company, for the first year of their operations, declared a dividend of six per cent; and that, too, notwithstanding all the extraordinary expense consequent upon a commencement of operations. The question is before the people—lard, oil or gas? Shall we plod our way still by the light of the stars, and amid the gloom of dim and smoky tapers, or shall we rejoice in the brilliancy and effulgence of gas-light? We trust, ere long, to answer this question in favor of an increase of light, by the record of an enthusiastic meeting of our citizens held in furtherance of the object.

Fasting and Prayer for Education.—Thursday, Feb. 23d, was set apart as a day of public fasting and prayer for literary institutions in our country. What object could more reasonably demand the attention of christians and all? The cause of education lies at the root of all republican liberty. The education of the masses, with the unsparing dissemination of truth, united, are the influences which are raising our national fame, and thus we are a towering beacon light, whose far-reaching beams attract the untutored races of other lands.

☞ The lecture before the Woburn Lyceum on Tuesday evening, by Parker L. Converse, Esq., was one of deep interest to the citizens of this town, who feel any pride in our gardens and in trees of all kinds. We hope his suggestions, in regard to ornamental trees, will be put in practice, as nothing would add to the beauty of a town so much as a good garden and a row of trees along our streets. We hope to hear from some of our other young men.

The editor of the Rome Farmer has established a peculiar tariff of charges for the publication of marriage notices. For a notice where the wife is a first rate one, $1 is charged, and from that down to nothing, just according to the estimate of the husband. In one week several notices were received, accompanied by one dollar, and only one with less. One fellow valued his wife at fifty cents.

Jennings, the murderer of Mrs. Bradley in North Haven, Conn., has been sentenced to be hanged on the second Tuesday in July next.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Editorial Correspondence.]

Steamer Augusta,
James River, *Feb.* 16, 1854.

To those who have never traveled—never left their home to look abroad over this great country, the many incidents of travel may not be interesting, because they cannot feel that peculiar interest which is attached to the exciting scenes daily occurring before those who go abroad, either for pleasure or business, in our own town, and within the circle of our every day life; we cannot find much to excite our imaginations, because those common occurrences become too familiar. We must go out into the wide world, mingle with the masses, seek the avenues through which the good and the great of our land pass and gather for national objects. We must see and feel the realities of experience, knowledge and personal intercourse, before we can take a general interest in the reading of these daily scenes and incidents. I fear to many of the readers of the Journal my hasty letters are of little interest.

Life in Washington I shall leave for a future hour. I left the great city early on Saturday morning in the good steamer George Washington, with but few passengers. Passing over the muddy waters of the Potomac, at not a rapid speed, Alexandria was our first stopping place, about eight miles from Washington. This city, now belonging to old Virginia, is fast rising from obscurity; a new railroad to the interior of the country is filling its streets with business, and where the grass grew in the streets, now is busy with teams and goods. There is trade starting up here with Boston and it must increase. This city is famed for the spot where Lieut. Randolph pulled President Jackson's nose, while on board a steamer lying at the wharf, on his way to assist in raising a tombstone at Fredericksburg, in memory of the mother of Washington. The President had dismissed Lieut. Randolph from the navy, and he took this occasion to be revenged. The old general said, "by the Eternal, if he could catch him,"—but Lieut. R. was too quick for him.

Passing down the river, we soon came near Fort Washington, a beautiful site for a fort. Opposite within the circle of the eye was seen the ever to be revered mansion of Mount Vernon and the tomb of Washington; as we neared it all our passengers were on deck. The steamer's bell rung out its mournful toll, while every eye and heart of the passengers were enchained to the spot. One old man, whose silver locks told of many winters, stood near me; his hat was off, and I saw the big tear-start from his eye. He told me he had passed many a day at Mount Vernon, and knew Washington, and when he passed the old mansion it seemed as if he could see his noble countenance; he could count the spots where he had seen him, and pointed out the corner of the mansion as the spot where Washington used to stand to view his grounds. The bell ceased, after we had passed in front, and I remembered passing here thirty-six years ago. The bell of the steamer tolled as we passed then, and has continued to toll every day since the death of Washington. Can the history of the world produce an instance like this,—was ever the memory of a man cherished and revered like this,—that half a century the bell should daily toll for his memory. And yet Mount Vernon stands in the market for sale, and Congress spending money in foolish quarrels, instead of purchasing this sacred spot, to be preserved as a national cemetery, for the repose of Washington and his family.

We passed rapidly to the railroad depot, took the cars, passed Fredericksburg, saw the tomb of the mother of Washington, soon reached Richmond, a large and flourishing city; then Petersburg, the great tobacco depot of Virginia; again embarked on board the steamer Augusta, and now passing down the James River to Norfolk. This is a noble river, but a very shoal one; it is studded with large and prominent mansions, extensive fields; the scenery is bold and picturesque. We are nearing Norfolk, and I must close. Virginia might be an agricultural and manufacturing State, when her soil becomes free, and she will be a prominent one. G. M. F.

[For the Journal.]

What is the matter with a Convert of Winchester, that he takes so deep an interest in the affairs of Woburn?—for his benefit, I will state my position: I once lived near the line of Woburn; I owned land in that town and paid taxes there for a number of years; I have some friends there. At the present time I do not live in Woburn, neither do I trade in spirits there as he seems to print, but I live in the village of Reading, where he can see me any time by coming to that place. My name is John Damon, the world over. I am a farmer. All the trade I have in spirits is, I sell all the cider from off my farm that I do not want to use myself. When I want ardent spirits I send to Boston after it. I always have, and always mean to do so, while the Bunker Hill stands in Charlestown and the monument stands upon it.

And now, to your good self sir,—I suppose a Convert from Winchester, and an Interested Spectator, from the same place, are both one and the same man, if man I can call you. I suppose I could go on and answer all your foolish slang that you have written in detail. But I will not do it, it is not worth the paper and ink I should spend in doing it. Solomon says, in Proverbs, "Answer not a fool according to his folly, lest you be like unto him."

Mr. Editor, I like your little paper, I hope it may do good. You have a flourishing village there in Woburn. I had not been there for some time until the other day, when I went over to see some old friends, and stopped at your office to see a Convert from Winchester, which of course I did not see. I should like to see one in these days of Maine Liquor Laws,—they are very scarce indeed. No, sir, the law don't make converts, it is moral suasion founded on the truth that makes converts. Cold water business is on the wane, there is no doubt of it. They may sing, with the British and Indians, in their retreat from Plattsburg in 1814,—

"We've got too far from Canada,
Run boys, run;
See the cussed Yankees how they jump
From every rock, and tree, and stump.
Run for your lives, boys, run,
We've got too far from Canada."

A Farmer of Reading.

P. S. For the information of all concerned I will state, that I will never answer the Winchester Convert again in any communication or statement he may make in your paper. No doubt the teamster that got set in Winchester with a load of rum jugs and his patrons are of the same opinion. J. D.

Feb. 19, 1854.

[For the Journal.]

Mr. Editor:—Your correspondent, Stark, is early in the field for celebrating the Anniversary of our Independence. Unless he has a full show of Gen. Stark's patriotism, I fear his interest will be cooled before July. However, I think well of his suggestion, and have often been surprised that a town in sight of Bunker Hill, and of Lexington, within an hour's ride of Concord, should so long have rested in this drea[illegible] attitude.

Once, during a generatien, should this and all other towns so notice our nation's birth day, as that the children's children should ask the reason, why, and we the reason give, of the demonstration. I consider it all important as a safeguard. That the approaching 4th of July may be celebrated by the citizens of Woburn, without distinction of sect or party, is the desire of

Young America.

'Ha! ha! Down with the tyrant! Death to the Spaniard!' shouted Ike, as he rushed into the kitchen, brandishing Paul's old artillery sword that had hung so long on the wall. He struck an attitude, and then struck the upright portion of the stove funnel till it rung with the blow, and Mrs. Partington, with amazement on her countenance, and the glass lamp in her hand, stood looking at him. Ike had been reading the thrilling tale of the 'Black Avenger, or the Pirate of the Spanish Main,' and his 'intellects,' as Sir Hugh Evans might say, were absorbed by the horrible.

'Don't, Isaac, dear,' said Mrs. Partington, and she spoke in a gentle, but firm tone, 'You are very scarifying, and it don't look well to see a young boy acting so. It comes, I know, of reading them yellow cupboard books. You should read good ones, and if you won't read that again I will let you have my big Bible, King James's aversion, with the beautiful pictures. I declare I don't know what I shall do with you if you carry on so. I am afraid I shall have to send you to a geological cemetery to get the old Sancho out of you.'

The point of the sword was lowered as it was making a passage for a dark spot in the centre panel of the door, the eye of the boy, so fiercely lit by the spirit of the 'Black Avenger,' became mild and laughing, as he said he was only 'making b'lieve,' and Mrs. Partington gave him a penny as she disarmed him. What a visible emotion of peanuts became manifest as he grasped the copper and made tracks for the door, and climbed over the snow-drifts to reach the 'grocer's opposite!' [Boston Post.

The Gold Produce of California. The total amount of gold dust shipped from San Francisco to all quarters, for the year 1853, was $54,906,956,74, as follows:

For New York,	$47,914,447,68
New Orleans,	390,781,00
London,	4,995,662,25
Panama,	793,10
Valparaiso,	445,778,27
Sandwich,	195,000,00
China,	926,134,44
Manilla,	17,450,00
Calcutta,	1,240,00
New South Wales,	28,670,00
	$54,906,956,74

The shipment of dust in 1851, was $34,492,000; and in 1852 it was $45,905,000

☞ Our friend Miles, in Wade's block, has a superb assortment of all kinds of garments. He has just received a new style of collars, and has a beautiful variety of neck-ties. As his supply is inexhaustible and his variety endless, we would advise all gentlemen who would wish their wardrobes replenished, in the most fashionable style, to give him a call.

The ablest chemists who have examined the Rosemary oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capilliary growth. Mr. Spalding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

The Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce learns that Mr. Gwin, of California, intends to move in the Senate an amendment to the Gadsden treaty, for the purchase of Lower California and Sonora for a certain sum.

☞ Among the new style of goods furnished by our neighbor Hammond, we noticed the self-adjusting collars which excel everything in that line.

The trial trip of the caloric ship Ericsson is said to have been highly satisfactory.

WEEKLY SUMMARY.

The fashionable world of New York is on tiptoe with excitement and expectation in anticipation of a ball which is to come off in a mansion "very high up in the picters," at which no person will be admitted unless attired strictly in the costume of the Court of Louis XV. When it is recollected that the courtiers of Louis XV shaved their faces as smooth as a glass bottle, in deference to the beardless chin of the dissolute young monarch, it may readily be inferred that there is much fluttering among the hirsute aristocracy of Gotham.

Franklin says if every man and woman would work four hours a day at something useful, want and misery would be banished from the world, and the remaining portion of the twenty-four hours might be devoted to leisure and pleasure.

What requires more philosophy than taking things as they come?—parting with things as they go.

A young lady in New York, who belonged to the upper ten, swindled a clerk of a jewelry establishment out of a lot of diamonds worth $1500, by representing herself to be the daughter of George Law. She returned the jewels and was let off.

In Framingham, N. H., says the Dover Gazette, two young men, 17 and 19 years old, made 55 pairs of men's black kip shoes in fourteen hours—or, four pairs to the hour.

Traveler—Waiter, is that fine picture one of Raphael's?

Waiter—Yessah—yessah. Bleeve 'twas *won in a raffle*.

Traveler—You mistake my meaning. I thought it might be by one of the old masters.

Waiter—Yessah, he did. Ole *massa* did buy it of de man what won it.

Exit Traveler.

A company of young men belonging to the Pearl street Society, at Nashua, N. H., have united together and agreed to contribute in equal shares towards building a house for their pastor, Rev. Mr. Adams. The house is to be well built and of the first class.

Mr. Gough, the temperance lecturer, has made quite a hit at Edinburgh and in the surrounding districts. As is known, his exhibitions are under the patronage and at the risk of the abstinence association This body did indeed speculate freely on the attractions of their protege, as is demonstrated by his wages. Mr. Gough receives the very large sum of £250 per month for his dramatic outpourings on the platform; yet his patrons are drawing large profits. [Greenock Advertiser.

A petition is in circulation to divide the town of Andover, between the North and South Parishes, taking the old boundary line between the parishes.

Rev. Dr. Woods of Andover is writing a history of Andover Theological Seminary, with which he has been connected from its origin, near forty years. His history will make a volume uniform with his lately published work. It will appear in the course of this season.

The Board of Aldermen had a special session last Tuesday forenoon, in Boston, and joined Alderman Odiorne and Washburn to the joint committee about to proceed to Cincinnati to examine the steam fire engines in operation in that city.

Five slaves are to be hung at Lancaster, S. C., on the 3d Friday of March, for the murder of Alexander Craig.

George Lippard, Esq., the author, died in Philadelphia, on Thursday, of consumption, aged thirty-one years.

Mrs. Partington informs the Boston Post that flour rises so fast, there isn't the least need of "emptings" in making bread.

Hon. Wm. Pitt Fessenden, whig, was on Friday last chosen U. S. Senator, by the Maine Legislature, by a majority of three in the House and one in the Senate.

Hon. Josiah Adams, of Framingham, the oldest member of the Middlesex Bar, died at his residence, on the 8th inst., aged 71 years.

Daniel McLoud, an old bachelor, was frozen to death in his bed, at Milwaukie, Wis., on the 22d inst Poor fellow!

One million two hundred and thirty thousand letters passed through the New York Post Office last Saturday

It is said that small twigs of cedar chopped fine and mixed with their grain, will cure a cough in horses, and that it has been used with complete success.

Jonathan Fletcher died at Walpole, N. H., on the 2d inst., at the great age of 100 years, 5 months and 4 days. He was in the battles of Bunker Hill and Bennington.

There were 496 deaths in New York city last week. Consumption, 55; small pox, 57. The N. Y. Herald says that the small pox has assumed an epidemic form, and that every block in the city is infected by it.

Michael Jennings, charged with the murder of Mrs. Esther Bradley, of North Haven, last summer, has just been convicted in New Haven of murder in the fourth degree. Jennings inflicted over fifty stabs upon his victim. He is only 18 years old.

The splendid new emigrant ship, Tayleur, from Liverpool 19th, for Melbourne, Australia, struck a sunken rock in Dublin bay, and 400 lives were lost.

A new Music Hall is to be erected in New York to rival or surpass the Metropolitan, which was destroyed by fire.

Mr. Jeremiah Chapman, of Washington, N. H., was fatally crushed on Wednesday, Feb. 1, while cutting the ice from a water wheel. He was jammed into a space only three inches wide, and remained in this condition until men went an eight of a mile to shut down the water gate. He lived about an hour and a half. He leaves a wife and three children.

Some boys at Tahula, Miss., on the 24th ult., tied some crackers to a dog's tail, and the dog ran into a cotton shed, setting fire to the cotton, which resulted in a loss of $200,000 worth.

A remonstrance has been sent to Congress against the passing of the Nebraska bill, by the citizens of Worcester, containing upwards of twelve hundred names.

Town Warrant.

Middlesex, ss.

To either of the Constables of the town of Woburn, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Woburn, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said Woburn, on Monday, the sixth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose all necessary Officers to serve the Town the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear and act on the Auditor's Report.

Art. 4. To hear and act on the Report of the Overseers of the Poor and Surveyors of Highways.

Art. 5. To hear and act on the Report of the Selectmen.

Art. 6. To hear and act on the Report of the Board of Engineers.

Art. 7. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of highways and bridges the ensuing year, and how the same shall be appropriated.

Art. 8. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of Schools the ensuing year, and how the same shall be appropriated.

Art 9. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of the Poor paying town debts and defraying the incidental expenses the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what the town will do in relation to killing birds and taking pickerel the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see what the town will do in relation to horses and neat cattle going at large the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see if the town will authorize the Prudential School Committee of the several districts to select and contract with teachers the ensuing year.

Art. 13. To see if the town will instruct the Committee on Reservoirs to cause a reservoir to be built on Main street, near the Flagg house, (so called,) or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 14. To hear and act on the Report of the Selectmen on the laying out of a new town way from Warren street to Main street, as petitioned for by A. H. Nelson and others.

Art. 15. To see if the town will continue the present School District System, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 16. To see if the town will recommit the report of the selectmen on the laying out of Franklin Avenue, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 17. To see if the town will request the selectmen to appoint an agent to sell liquor for the ensuing year; also to prosecute all violations of the "Maine Law," (so called) or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 18. To see if the town will instruct the selectmen to collect pay for the grass taken from the common, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 19. To see if the town will increase the pay of the fire companies, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 20. To see if the town will appropriate any money to be expended upon the common, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 21. To see what action the town will take in reference to causing the centre village and the streets near the Railroad Depot, to be lighted on nights when necessary.

Art. 22. To see what measures the town will take to provide teachers, who, in conformity to the law and humanity, have knowledge of the elementary principle of Physiology and Hygiene, and to have these sciences introduced and taught in our schools, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the public Meeting houses, in said town and cause the same to be published in the Woburn Journal, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT, And make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Woburn, this twenty-second day of February, A. D., 1854.

HORACE CONN,
HORACE COLLAMORE,
A. G. CARTER. } *Selectmen of Woburn.*

A true copy, attest,
Edward Simonds, Constable.

Collector's Sale for Taxes.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of March next, at three o'clock, P. M., at the Depot of the Boston and Lowell Railroad Company, in the centre village of Winchester, in the county of Middlesex, so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, (each parcel thereof belonging to a person unknown,) as shall be sufficient to pay the Taxes assessed thereon for the year eighteen hundred and fifty three, and all legal costs and charges.

Said Real Estate and Taxes are as follows, viz: Lot No. nine on a plan of the Caleb and Joshua Richardson estate, as surveyed by David Gould, May, 1847, which said lot is bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. ten about one hundred and thirty-eight feet, southerly and south-westerly by Salem street, westerly by Cedar street and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet; said lot contains about twelve thousand four hundred and seven square feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number eighteen on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. seventeen, southerly by lot No. fifteen about one hundred feet, westerly by lot No. nineteen, and northerly by Richardson street about one hundred feet. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. twenty-four on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-five, southerly by Richardson street, westerly by lot number twenty-three, and notherly by lot No. thirty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot number twenty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. twenty-eight, southerly by Richardson street, westerly by Chestnut street, and northerly by lot number thirty-four. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty on said plan, containing about fifteen thousand one hundred and twenty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Cedar street about one hundred and twenty feet, southerly by lot No. forty-one about eighty-six feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and forty-two feet, and northerly by lots Nos. forty-two and thirty-nine about one hundred and sixty-six feet. Tax, forty-eight cents.

Lot No. forty-one on said plan on Cedar street and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by said Cedar street about one hundred and thirty feet, south-westerly by land of Church & Lane about one hundred and fifty-five feet, and northerly by lot No. forty about eighty-six feet. Tax, eighteen cents.

Lot number forty-six on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-seven, southerly by Water street, westerly by Cedar street, and northerly by lot No. sixty. Tax, seventy-four cents.

Lot No. forty-seven on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-eight, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-six, and northerly by lot No. fifty-nine. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. forty-nine, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No forty-seven, and northerly by lot No fifty-eight. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. forty-nine on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by Chestnut street, southerly by Water street, westerly by lot No. forty-eight, and northerly by lot No. fifty-seven. Tax, forty-five cents.

Lot No. fifty-eight on said plan, containing about twelve thousand square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: easterly by lot No. fifty-seven, southerly by lot No. forty-eight, westerly by lot No. fifty-nine, and northerly by Canal street. Tax, forty-five cents.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold so much of the following described Real Estate, situated in said Winchester, belonging to Henry Sperry, a non-resident, as shall be sufficient to pay the taxes assessed thereon, for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, and all legal costs and charges. Said real estate and taxes are as follows, viz:

Two lots of land, being lots numbered five and seven, on a recorded plan of the Ferrier land, and bounded as follows, viz: southerly by Swanton street, about one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, easterly by lot No. nine (9) on said plan, northerly by land of the heirs of Samuel Symmes, and westerly by lot No. three on said plan. Tax, $1.19.

If said Taxes, and all legal costs and charges, shall not be paid on or before said time of sale, so much of said Real Estate will then and there be sold as shall be sufficient to pay the same.

N. A. RICHARDSON,
Collector of Taxes for Winchester.

Feb. 6, 1854.

MARRIED.

"There are moments in this fleeting life
When every pulse beats *love*, and the soft air
Is full of fragrance from a purer clime."

At Somerville, 19th inst., Mr. Henry U. Dean of North Woburn, Mass., to Miss Hannah Maria Pierce, of S.

In Stoneham, 9th inst, by Rev. Wm. C. Whitcombe, Mr. V. R. S. Edwards, to Miss Elvira Ann Dresser, all of Stoneham,

In this town, 19th inst., by Rev. Mr Cox, Mr. John Lord to Miss Jane A. Lyman, both of Woburn.

Special Notices.

NOTICE.

The subscriber returns thanks to his friends for the liberal patronage and kind approbation which they tendered him at his last Declamation Olio, and would also give notice that he will give another Olio at the Town Hall, on Wednesday Evening, March 1st. There will be two prizes,—a gold pencil to the best declaimer, and a gentlemen's gold scarf pin to the second best. Tickets, 12½ cents,—no half price. Doors open at 7, Declaiming to commence at 7½. If the evening is unpleasant the Olio will be postponed.

FRANK TAYLOR.

Woburn, Feb. 25, 1854. 1t

NOTICE.

The subscriber will Lecture in the Town Hall, on Sunday evening next, (Lord willing,) commencing at 7½ o'clock. Subject—The Kingdom of God and Evidence of its Near Approach.

A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

Woburn, Feb. 21. 1854. M. ALLEN.

NOTICE.

The citizens of Woburn, without distinction of party, are requested to meet at the Town Hall, on Saturday Evening, March 4, to select Candidates for Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Feb. 23, 1854.

NOTICE.

The Working Men's Association will be holden on TUESDAY evening next, instead of Monday, the regular meeting night.

WOBURN LYCEUM.

The next Lecture will be delivered, next Monday evening, Feb. 27, by Rev. Thomas Star King.

NOTICE.

All persons having bills against District No. 1 are requested to present them to the subscriber before the first day of March.

WALTER WYMAN, Prudential Committee.

Woburn, Jan. 30, 1854. tf

Administrator's Sale
OF
Real Estate.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, the 24th day of March next, at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, all the Real Estate of the late Elkanah E. Foss, deceased, situated on Lexington street, about half a mile from the Centre Village of Woburn, being the late residence of said Foss.

Said real estate consists of about three quarters of an acre of land, with house and good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated on the south side of Lexington street, also about one-third acre of land, suitable for a house lot, with a shop thereon, situated on the north side of Lexington street, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, post office, and branch railroad depot, and affords a favorable opportunity for any gentleman to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn. Said estate is encumbered by a mortgage, and will be sold subject to such claim.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold a few articles of personal property, viz, a lot of lumber, wheelbarrow, farming tools, &c. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

MOSES J. PERSONS, Administrator.
Wm. Winn, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Feb. 22 1854.

NOTICE.

STEPHEN CUTTER would give notice that he has taken an office at his former residence on Walnut st, where he will give his attention to the healing of the sick Terms, $1,00. References may be had by calling on him.

Woburn, Feb 23, 1854. tf

To Tanners and Curriers.

JUST received, three cases of prime thick Boots, manufactured of Shaved Leather, by J. Fletcher.

At Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

in every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE, Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

VALENTINES!!

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK, THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF

SENTIMENTAL,

COMIC

—AND—

JUVENILE

VALENTINES

EVER OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC,

AT THE

Woburn Bookstore.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.

WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.

Feb. 11. 3w

DAVIS & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Office No. 8, Traveller Buildings,

(Entrance No 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.)

BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG.

feb 11 3w Woburn Centre

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. CHARLES BOND

Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.

Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Safes, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.

jan 21 tf

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of Trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE. Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

VIENNA AND PARIS CASHMERE SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.,

Have now in store, of their own importation, an assortment of

Cashmere Long and Square Shawls

In medium and fine qualities, and in the newest styles, For sale, wholesale and retail, at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston.

nov5 tf CHANDLER & CO.

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $260,000,

OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, President.

E. W. THAYER, Secretary.

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't*, W. T. Hooker. *Secretary*, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1852.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

NEW AND ELEGANT STOCK —OF— FASHIONABLE SILKS.

CHANDLER & COMPANY

Have received by late arrivals a large variety of the newest styles of

DRESS SILKS,

Comprising a far more extensive and compleet assortment than they have ever before offered. They invite the particular attention of purchasers to this large stock of Silks, believing it to be equal, both in point of STYLE and COLORING, to any assortment ever offered in the country—consisting of

RICH PLAIN SILKS,
In the most fashionable colors;
MEDIUM " " " "
PLAID SILKS,
In elegant styles;
STRIPE " " "
BROCADE SILKS.
Very elegant;
SMALL FIGURED SILKS,
In the neatest styles and most choice colors;
MOIRE ANTIQUE SILKS,
Very rich, in blacks and fancy colors;
BLACK BROCADE SILKS,
A beautiful assortment, in choice styles;
BLACK & COLORED WATERED SIKS,
Of superior quality;
PLAIN BLACK SILKS,
Of superior make and high lustre;
WHITE AND COLORED SATINS.

Most of our silks having been manufactured expressly for us, enables us to offer to our customers many styles not to be found elsewhere; and having our full stock for the season now in store, a favorable opportunity is offered to purchasers to make their selections, either at wholesale or retail.

CHANDLER & CO.,
NOS. 6 AND 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by

THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, }
BOWEN BUCKMAN, } *Commissioners.*

Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

may28tf

MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price....All Representations Warrantea

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HUNTING & EATON,

EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,

HERMAN HUNTING, }
MARCUS EATON, } BOSTON

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated

TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers have removed to the Store, corner of Main street and Ockley court, and are prepared to execute all orders in the

Painting, Glazing & Paper Hanging Line.

Their work shall not be exceeded by any.

OTIS & BAILEY.

Woburn, August 20th, 1853. tf

PLAID GOODS! PLAID GOODS!

CHANDLER & CO.

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Large and Fine Assortment of

ALL WOOL PLAIDS,
COTTON AND WOOL PLAIDS,
SPUN SILK PLAIDS.

6 & 8 Summer Street, Boston. nov5 tf

Lead, Copper, and Brass.

CASH paid for Lead, Copper, and Brass, at the Pump Factory. my 28 tf JOHN ASH.

ALL Wool Thibets, at sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. UNION.

Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by m26 J. S. ELLIS

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat sept 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by

A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by

Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.

dec31. 2w

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at

nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Rockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W. WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by

L. THOMPSON, JR.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS. CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - *Boston.*

nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, JR.

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. BAYLEY & CO tf

MONEY IS UP, DRY GOODS ARE DOWN.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.

WILL OFFER THEIR LARGE STOCK OF

SHAWLS, CLOAKS,
MANTILLAS,
SILK GOODS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS,
RAW SILK & DRESS PLAIDS,
CLOTHS, THIBETS, MERINOS,
CASHMERES,
MOURNING ARTICLES,
EMBROIDERIES,
LACES, TRIMMINGS,
Gent's Shawls, Shirting Linens,
Blankets, Quilts, Domestics,
Hosiery, Gloves, &c.,

AT PRICES CORRESPONDING TO THE INCREASED VALUE OF MONEY.

Bargains May be Expected,

☞ As we never allow our customers to be drawn away from us by better bargains than we offer them ourselves.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO.,
No. 192 Washington street,
BOSTON.

November 19. 4w

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having moved from his former residence on Pleasant street, to Thomas J. Porter's house, and boards with P. S. Bernerd, where he will continue to insure Real and Personal Property, in good Mutual and Stock Companies, on favorable terms as can be obtained. E. HINCKLEY.

Woburn. Oct. 29th, 1853. tf.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, JR., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their fall supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by

MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by

JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by

THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. S. WHITE takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public, that he will commence an Evening School, for instruction in Dancing, at the Central House Hall, on Monday Evening, Oct. 24, 1853.

Mr. W. would also give notice that he will commence a course of Assemblies at the above named Hall, on Friday Evening, Oct 21st.

Tickets 75 cents; to be had at the Central House Bar. Music, 5 pieces.

Woburn, Oct. 15th, 1853. tf

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING!

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other heedful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,
(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)
BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M. 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

* On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.

may 14 tf

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW. E. COOPER, Druggist. apr2

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.

Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and etto order. my 28 tf JOHN ASH

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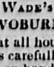

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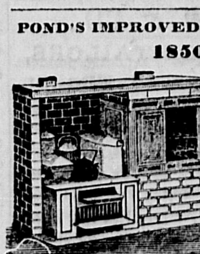

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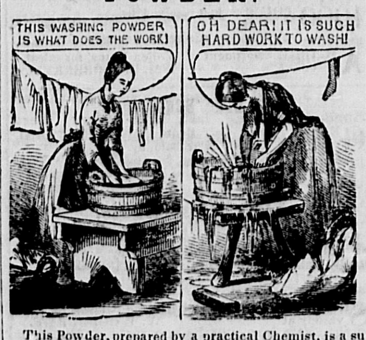

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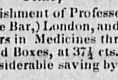

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POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

THE FISHERMAN.—A Tale in Rhyme.

FROM A YOUTH'S PORTFOLIO.

In a quiet bay, where the waves still lay,
And the beetling cliffs loom high,—
Where the fisher-boat rides gaily afloat,
And is heard the storm-bird's cry,—

There a cabin stands, in its view commands
The sky, and the ocean wave,
And the pebbly sands, where the skiff boat lands,
And the rolling waters lave.

In that desert place, where Nature's face
Looks dreary, and sad, and lone,
Lived a fisherman and his worthy dame,
In days which have long since gone.

The neat sanded floor, thro' the half-op'n'd door,
Told comfort was reigning within;
There, when daylight was gone and evening had come,
Might be heard the prayer and hymn.

When the storm was low, from his home he would go,
And loosing his bark from the strand,
His lines he would set and cast forth his net,
Then bear back his treasures to land.

'Twas on one joyous morn, the Spring-time had come,
The birds sang blithe and gay,
And the sea-birds high on the cliffs sat nigh,
Watching their watery prey.

The skiff-boat lay on the mirrored bay,
No need of moorings had she,
For its waters then, lay calm, save when
The sturgeon's leap rippled the sea.

From his quiet home, o'er the sea to roam,
The fisherman bent his oar,—
And his song was gay, and his heart beat high,
Ere long to beat no more.

Soon his boat had found the fishing ground,
And his nets were sweeping wide,
And his lines were set,—but the skiff lay yet
Still, on the torpid tide.

But the storm-cloud soon, with gathering gloom,
Was seen athwart the sky;
The stormy petrel and the ocean gull,
Stooped from the cliffs to fly.

The thunder's sharp crash, followed lightning's flash,
Seeming to burst the air,—
The wild winds rushed, then Nature was hushed,
Like a mortal filled with fear.

The fisherman's eye sought the troubled sky,
With a swift and scanning gaze;
'Till Nature's loud call *forced* a hearing from all,
His tho'ts were on by-gone days.

'Twas just such a time, when his boy, in the prime
Of his youth, braved the breakers far out;
But the shark's keen eye soon its victim did spy,
And the lad ne'er returned to the cot.

With such tho'ts on his mind, the lightnings and wind
Could scarce force an ingress there;
But when he awoke, and the stupor was broke,
Hope whispered alone of despair.

For he knew full well that the mountain swell
Must encompass his frail bark;
And his tho'ts went high to his God, 'yont the sky,
Who alone to his prayer could hark.

But the calm was gone,—the storm hurried on,
And lifted the skiff-boat high,—
'Twas dash'd 'neath the wave, where the sea-nymphs [lave,
And the coral caves deep lie.

Thro' that long, wild night, the small beacon light
Shone thro' the cottage pane;
The widow sat there, but a wild despair,
Was scorching up her brain.

Like a sleeping child, the storm so wild
That evening had sunk to rest;
And the breaking day showed the little bay,
With its smooth and tranquil breast.

But on its tide never more shall ride
That skiff-boat, tied to the land;
Wide scattered o'er, near the cottage door,
Lay its fragments along the strand. L.

The lines given below we "picked up." They undoubtedly emanated from some love-sick heads in our vicinity, the owners of which may have the original MSS. by calling at this office.

VALENTINE.

'Tis leap year, and I'm privileged
To write to you this time.
I'm doubly privileged, you see,
For this is Valentine.

Well, with this introduction given,
I'll tell thee why I write,
And if you favor what I say,
I shall be happy, *quite.*

But if you've no encouragement
To offer, really, then,
I shall insist upon 't, you are
The most incorrigible of men.

For with these lines, I send to you
A heart so true and free,
That 'twas a sin if you should send
The same right back to me.

If you then truly send your own,
Will you then write to me, friend mine?
And I with pleasure will remain
Your faithful Valentine.

ANSWER.

Ah, my dear, my dearest Mary!
How happy with you, my fairy;
Yes, you've promised to be mine,
You've said you'd be my Valentine.

This is the year for folks to pair,
And if you'll meet me, I'll be there,
On the Common, down by the gate,
There we'll meet,—there we'll mate.

I hope, my dear, you're now all ready
To meet and see your own dear Eddy;
And then, how happy, for this leap year
Will find us married, with lots of cheer.

According to Bancroft, the first Puritan settlers of New England are the parents of one-third of the population of the United States. In the first fifteen years—the time when most of the immigration from England took place—there came over 21,000 persons. Their descendants in 1840 were estimated at 4,000,000. Each family has multiplied on the average to a thousand souls. So that a little one has become a thousand, and a small one a strong nation.

MISCELLANEOUS.

An Englishman was bragging of the speed on English railroads to a Yankee traveler in England. The engine bell was rung as the train neared the station.

"What's that noise?" inquired the Yankee.

"We are approaching a town," said the Englishman. "They have to commence ringing about ten miles before they get to a station, or else the train would run by before the bell could be heard! Wonderful, isn't it. I suppose they haven't invented bells in America yet?"

"Why, yes," replied the Yankee; "we've got bells, but can't use them on our railroads. We run so 'tarnel fast that the train always keeps ahead of the sound."

"Indeed!" exclaimed the Englishman.

"Fact," said the Yankee, "had to give up bells. Then we tried steam-whistles, but they wouldn't answer either. I was on the locomotive when the whistle was tried. We saw a two-horse wagon crossing the track, about five miles ahead, and the engineer let the whistle on, but it wasn't no use. The next thing I knew, I was picking myself out of a pond by the roadside, amid the fragments of the locomotive, dead horses, smashed wagon and dead engineer, lying beside me. Just then the whistle came along, mixed up with some frightful oaths that I heard the engineer use when he first saw the horses. Poor fellow, he was dead before his voice got to him. After that we tried lights, supposing these would travel faster than sound, but the locomotive kept ahead of it still, and was in the darkness, with the light close on behind it. I *have* heard that some of the fast trains beat the telegraph fifteen minutes every 40 miles. But I can't say as that is true—the rest I know to be so."

Lundy Foot, the celebrated snuff manufacturer of Dublin, originally kept a small tobacconist's shop at Limerick, Ireland. One night his house, which was uninsured, was burnt to the ground. As he contemplated the smoking ruins on the following morning, in a state bordering on despair, some of the poor neighbors, groping among the embers for what they could find, stumbled upon several cannisters of unconsumed but half-baked snuff, which they tried and found so grateful to their noses that they loaded their waistcoat pockets with the spoil.

Lundy Foot, roused from his stupor, at length imitated their example, and took a pinch of his own property, when he was instantly struck with the pungency and flavor it had acquired from the great heat to which it had been exposed. Treasuring up this valuable hint, he took another house, in a place called Black Yard, and, preparing a large oven for the purpose, set diligently about the manufacture of that high dried commodity, which soon became known as Black Yard Snuff.

Lundy Foot, making his customers pay liberally through the nose for one of the most distinguished kinds of stuff in the world, soon raised the price of his production, took a large house in the city of Dublin, and was often heard to say, "I made a handsome fortune by being, as I supposed, utterly ruined?" [Hunt's Merchant's Magazine.

"John, bound the State of Matrimony."

"The State of Matrimony is bounded on the north by solitude, on the east by double trouble, on the south by sore shins, on the west by vexations."

"What are its chief products?"

"Peevish babies, scolding wives, henpecked husbands, smoked coffee, burnt hams and sour pies."

"What is said of its climate?"

"It has a more variant temperature than that of any other State in existence. In that portion of it called the honey-moon, the climate is salubrious and healthy—the atmosphere laden with the sweets of Hymen. In some parts the inhabitants experience a freezing cold reception, when they expect most warmth, and in some other parts there is all the burning sensation of the torrid zone. Sometimes a fellow's house, in the State of Matrimony, gets too hot to hold him, and strange to say, he travels with all speed, not to, but from the *poles*, where cold is supposed to exist."

"Very smart boy, you may go up head."

As all families are not provided with scales and weights referring to ingredients in general use by every housewife, the following may be useful:—

Wheat flour, one pound is one quart.

Indian meal, one pound two ounces is one quart.

Butter, when soft, one pound one ounce is one quart.

Loaf sugar, broken, one pound is one quart.

White sugar, powdered, 1 pound 1 ounce is one quart.

Best brown sugar, 1 pound 2 ounces is one quart.

Eggs, average size, ten eggs are one pound.

Sixteen large table spoonfulls are half a pint, eight are one gill, &c.

Wanted to know, if the cider made from the "apple of the eye" is liable to be poured out, under the Maine law.

The National Intelligencer says the following is an extract from a letter of one of the agents of the Hudson Bay Company to an officer of that company, in reply to one making inquiry of the approach of Gov. Steven's party:—

"Some days ago I had a visit from some Flat Head chiefs, and they informed me that three Black Feet, who came to trade at Hell-Gate, told them that a large American and British party was seen by the Black Feet to approach their country. This information, I infer, was given at Hell-Gate about the end of June. The Black Feet said that the horses of the said party were half bears and half horses, and that their necks were clothed with iron and sounded like thunder; that their fore-paws were those of a grizly bear, so that, running up a steep rock, they could hold on by their nails.

I of course infer that these terrible cavalry are those of Gov. Stevens. The Black Feet description would defy Homer himself. They said that these horses were harnessed in fire, and that their crests looked like the half-moon in a storm; that the sounds of their hoofs and paws were war songs; and that clouds of burning dust and smoke rose from their nostrils, and that when they snorted the buffalo heard them afar off."

"Dear children," once said a considerate mother, "you must always remember the poor; after you and I and father have feasted, and you have fed the chickens, the pig, and cat, if there is anything left that ain't fit for soap-grease, give it to the poor; it's desput good to be charitable and prudent, and feed the hungry with what's left."

A well-known political economist says:—"We pay best, first, those who destroy us, generals; second, those who cheat us—politicians and quacks; third, those who amuse us—singers and musicians; and least of all those who instruct us—authors, schoolmasters and editors."

A little while ago, we passed a half hour in a village grave-yard, reading the inscriptions on those Tables of the Law of "dust to dust."

Upon one of them, carved in marble, was a chain. Of the nine links composing it one was broken.

How legible the characters! How intelligible the language! In that family there were nine once—a beautiful chain of affection richer than gold; but Death had unloosed one link, and the broken jewelry of the hearth and the heart had glittered with the dews distilled from loving eyes.

Broken jewelry! How many such trinkets of memory and affection there are in the homes of this world—souvenirs, whose possession should render humanity hallowed. Great grief makes sacred those upon whom its hand is laid. Joy may elevate, Ambition glorify, but Sorrow alone can consecrate. [N. Y. Tribune.

The Journal of Commerce mentions that on Sunday morning last, Rev. Henry Ward Beecher gave notice that a sermon would be preached that afternoon, by the Rev. Mr. Furness, (Unitarian,) of Philadelphia, at the Church of Rev. Mr. Chapin, (Universalist,) upon the subject of Practical Religion. He said he supposed some people would think it strange that he, an Orthodox clergyman, should give such a notice; but though Mr. Furness entertained a different system of theology from him, yet he was right on the great question of human rights and human progress, and an eminently practical Christian. He added that some men live better with a bad system of theology, than many men did who had a good one, and that "some men could do more with a jack-knife, than other men could do with a whole chest of tools."

The first weed pulled up in the garden, the first seed put in the ground, the first dollar put in the savings' bank, and the first mile traveled on a journey, are all very important things; they make a beginning, and thereby a hope, a promise, a pledge, an assurance that you are in earnest with what you have undertaken. How many a poor idle, hesitating, erring outcast, is now creeping and crawling his way through the world, who might have held up his head and prospered, if instead of putting off his resolutions of amendment and industry, he had only made a beginning.

"Impressions at first sight," was getting talked over, when the lady who presided over "the cups and tea," said that she "always formed an idea of a person at first sight; and that idea she found was generally a correct one."

"Mamma," said her youngest son, in a shrill voice that attracted the attention of all present.

"Well, my dear," said the fond mother,

"I wan't to know," said young America, "what you thought *when you first saw* ME."

CENSORIOUS. The New York Mirror censures the extreme *decollete* fashion of ladies' dresses, and fears that the ladies in lengthening their skirts have been compelled from scant patterns, to shorten them at the other end. The Mirror suggests that in such extremity, it would be better to wear the dresses upside down.

January was so named from *Janus*, a Latin god. He is represented always with two faces, and the month is thus pictured as looking upon the past as well as upon the future year.

February is from *febmuarius*, which means purification, because in this month the people were solemnly purified. This month was the last of the Roman year until 304, and from that time, the second.

March received its name from the god *Mars*, the god of war, or storms, to whom this month was dedicated.

April is from the Latin verb *aperio*, to open, because it is the spring when the blossoms of plants unfold themselves, and all nature opens into life.

May is called after *Maia*, the mother of Mercury, for to him it is sacred.

July is named after Julius Cæsar.

August after Augustus Cæsar.

September, October, November and December, were so named from the Latin numerals *septimus*, *octavus*, *novem* and *decem*, the seventh eighth, ninth and tenth months of the Roman Calendar.

These names have now existed more than eighteen centuries, and will probably never be changed.

From the pamphlet of the Rev. Cyrus Peirce, on "Crime: its Cause and Cure," we copy the following just and timely remarks on the necessity which exists for paying more attention to *moral education*, as a means of diminishing crime. This is a subject which should be commended to the attention of every teacher and parent through the length and breadth of the land!

"At every school we claim, for moral education, all the time and labor of the teacher which its importance demands. If there be not time and place for everything, or everything that it is desirable to learn, let something else be omitted, and not this. Let all that attention be given to it which may be found necessary to lay the foundation of a correct character; all that may be requisite to inculcate the great practical lesson of love to God and love to man. Surely, a teacher can do for his pupils no better service than this. The same spirit should pervade all the purlieus of education, and indeed all the walks of life. It should rule in the nursery and at the fireside. It should be the presiding genius of home. It should rule in all the departments of business; be found in the market and the workshop; in the stall, and in the counting-room; on the farm and wherever men resort either for deliberation, for action, or for pleasure. Men can be nowhere and can do nothing, when they should not be controlled by this spirit. It should appear in all things, at all times, and in all places, and nowhere more than in the school-room, that CHARACTER is the object for which we should live, and labor, and pay our money. I have already said, and I say again, that this thing cannot be taught effectually in our schools by means of books and lectures and set lessons, though these may help. Goodness cannot be simply *talked* into children; it must come by a LIFE, by practice, by example."

ANECDOTE OF A GATE. A correspondent of the Home Journal tells this anecdote:

I once passed through a door-yard gate which did, though unintentionally, give an indication of the designer's character. The gate was a common one, shut by a chain and ball. But the post to which the inner chain was attached, was carved and painted in the likeness of a negro, with one hand raised to his cocked hat, and the other extended to welcome you in. Upon letting the gate go, a spring in his back "brought him up standing" again, ready for the next comer. This faithful fellow performed the amiable for his master for many years, without reward, except now and then a new coat of paint; and finally died of a rheumatic back, contracted in his master's service.

THE PRINTING OFFICE. Mr. Winthrop, in his recent lecture before the Charitable Mechanic's Association, made this remark in regard to a printing office as a good school:—"There is an atmosphere in a printer's office, which somehow or other, puts notions into boy's heads, too—an atmosphere which is very apt to make quick blood run quicker, and active brains work harder, until those who are only indented to set up type for other people's thoughts, are suddenly found insisting on having other people to set up type for their own thoughts." The Salem Gazette remarks of this:—"Had Mr. Winthrop been a practical printer himself he could not have more happily conceived the spirit and feeling natural to our fellow craftsman, which the nature and associations of their calling engender."

The Crystal Palace proves a total failure. On an examination into the condition of the company, it is found that the capital stock and all the receipts of the company have been spent, leaving it in debt to the amount of $120,000.

Geologists assert that five entire groups of animals and plants have come into existence, lived their time and totally disappeared from the earth. Man is the last of the sixth class, and it would be interesting to know what is coming next after we have gone.

We have often wondered at the obviousness of certain simple recipes, which have ever after their discovery saved much trouble and annoyance, but which we never should have thought of but for the kindness of some good natured friend with a treasury of these bits of household law. For instance, the all-important item of cleaning combs and brushes, on which so much of the neatness of a lady's toilet depends. Our correspondent 'Mrs. L. G.,' is wrong in saying, 'For you know after one has given one's hair a thorough cleansing the brushes need it as badly.' She should as an invariable rule attend to this matter first, for in any other case the more she uses them the more she may. It is usually a disagreeable task we know, with the splattering of soap and water; but we can give her a more simple rule: To enough tepid water to cover the bristles, not the top of the brush, add a few drops of spirits of hartshorn, an ounce of which may be had for sixpence at any apothecary's; dip the brush several times, shaking out the water carefully, and the mixture will act like magic, leaving it clear and pure, needing only to be dried by a towel; no rubbing is needed. Combs may be done in the same way without injury. [Lady's Book.

Time is but a name; it is what is done in time that is the substance; what are twenty-four centuries to the hard rock, more than twenty-four hours to man, or twenty-four minutes to the ephemera? Are there not periods in our own existence in which space, computed by its true measure of thoughts, feelings, and events, mocks the penury of man's artificial scale, and comprises a lifetime in a day.

CAREFUL USE OF HORSES. An acquaintance lost his horse a few days ago, in a manner that would suggest an habitual caution in driving. The horse, a valuable one, well kept, in good spirits, and in perfect health, was taken from the stable and driven. He had ascended a long and hard hill within the first mile of driving, and as soon as the summit was reached, the driver, as is the habit of many, touched him with the whip; he sprang, stopped, staggered and fell, and by the time the driver could alight from the carriage, he was dead. An examination showed that a large blood vessel near the heart had been ruptured. [Farmer and Planter.

SELECTIONS FROM THE LONDON DIOGENES. The most difficult ascent—Getting up a subscription.

The table of distance—The dinner-table of a rich relation.

What the lady says to her bonnet—"Be off" with you.

What the most selfish man never objects to pay—Attention to his own comfort.

A dashing and fashionable widow threatens to sue some gentleman for a breach of promise, merely to let it be known that she is in market.

Poor relations, that have been flung aside, often turn up and prove of value when least expected—like bank-notes that have been found, before now, in a waste-paper basket.

Victoria, at the opening of Parliament, was attired in a splendid dress of silver tissue, over which was a robe of crimson velvet, ornamented with gold lace and ermine, and she wore a brilliant tiara of pearls and diamonds.

A baker in Boston says that he saves the expense of using yeast by having an irritable wife. He puts a litte of her temper into the dough and it rises right up.

Whiskey drinking never conducted wealth into a man's pocket, happiness to his family, or respectability to his character—therefore, whiskey is a non-conductor, and it is best to let it alone.

Baron Rothschild, while complaining to Lord Brougham of the hardship of not being able to take his seat, said "You know I was the choice of the people." To which his Lordship replied, "So was Barrabas."

All the Doctors in New York, are vaccinating their patients, for small pox is very prevalent, and all who frequent omnibusses and ferry boats are liable to the infection. The type, however, is comparatively light.

Next to agriculture, the shoemaking business is the most important and profitable trade in Massachusetts, and has the largest number of persons engaged in it.

The woman who undertook to scour the woods has abandoned the job, on account of the scarcity of sand and the high price of soap.

The Cherokee marriage ceremony is very expressive and poetical—man and woman joining hands over a running water, indicating that their lives may flow in one stream.

If brevity be the soul of wit, the man who says nothing must be considered the wittiest.

The revenue of the Church of England is more than $25,000,000 annually.

WOBURN RECORDS.

DEATHS CONTINUED.

Eames, Nathaniel s Jacob and Rachell, in his 21st year, died July 21.
Wyman, Elizabeth w Benj. jr, in her 30th year, July 6.
Wyman, Nathan, a 78 y, Feb 4.
Pierce, James of old age, Dec 21.

1774.

Jones, Rev Thos. pastor of the Second Church in Woburn, in his 52d year, Mar 13.
Richardson, Joshua, Mar 13.
Flagg, Benjamin, April 1.
Snow, Zerubbabel, April 2.
Parker, Lieut Josiah, April 18.
Richardson, Esther w Zebediah, April 19.
Richardson, Eunice w Olivar, April 5.
Wyman, Capt Benj, a 68 y, May 26.
Wyman, Benj. s Capt, July 6.
Richardson, Lot s David, July 16.
Fowle, Judeth, Nov 8.
Wyman, Jonathan, Nov 18.
Brooks, Nathan only s Nathan and Elizabeth, a 20 y, April 24.
Richardson, Thomas s Samuel, a 93 y, Jan 12.
Brooks, Jemima w Ebenezer, a 57 y, Nov 8.
Wright, Ruth a 92 y or more, d Jan 31.
Green, Esther d Samuel Wyman, 2d parish, Jan. —.

BIRTHS CONTINUED.

1775.

Bruce, Jonas s John and Sarah b Mar 22.
Carter, Joseph s Jonathan and Sybil, Feb 12.
Fowle, Ruhannah d James and Ruhannah, June 30.
Converse, Jacob s Samuel and Mary, Aug 30.
Baldwin, Josiah s Ruel and Kezia, May 14.
Richardson, Polly d Reuben and Jerusha, Oct 1.
Simonds, Hannah d Hazel and Mary, Dec 7.
Mathews, Ann d Timothy and Ann, Dec 31.
Caldwell, Jacob s John and Sarah, June 1.
Smith, Mary d Abijah and Mary, June 13.
Wyman, Joshua s Samuel and Catharine, May 23.
Skilton, Samuel s Daize and Ruth, June 25.
Edgel, Susanna d Benj and Susanna, July 18.
Wright Deborah d Jonathan and Ruth, Feb 25.
Brown, Judith d Josiah and Judith, June 15.
Carter, Asa s Benj and Susanna, July 29.
Baldwin, Mary d Loammi and Mary, Apl 24.
Reed, Geo W s Joshua and Rachel, Nov 18.
Johnson, Eunice d Jotham and Eunice, Sept 29.
Winn, Hannah d David and Hannah, July 29.
Winn, Mary d Timothy and Mary, June 8.
Gilmore, John s John and Mary, Feb 4.
Thompson, Mary d Jabez and Kezia, April 6.
Winn, Sarah d Jacob and Mary, Sept 11.
Brooks, Submit d Jonathan and Ruth, Jan 28.
Cummings, Ebenezer s Ebenezer and Jemima Nov 18.
Richardson, Molly d Stephen and Martha, Oct 28.
Richardson, Susanna d Eleazer and Catharine Aug 8.
Flagg, Nabby d John and Abigail, Sept 1.
Richardson, Hepsibah d Edward and Sarah, May 4.
Tay, Sally d Archelaus and Sarah, Oct 9.
Tyler, John s Moses and Anna, April 4.
Scotts, Lydia d John and Susanna, June 11.
Wyman, Ruth d Abel and Ruth, July 6.

1776.

Peirce, Elias s Benjamin and Ruth, b March 29.
Evans, Rachel d Jonas and Rachel, Feb 17.
Eames, Jacob s Jacob and Esther, Feb 15.
Alexander, Giles s Giles and Sarah, May 27.
Belknap, Charles s Samuel and Abigail, June 6.
Richardson, Betty d Zebulon and Abigail, July 18.
Winn, Sarah d Joseph and Betty, June 10.
Carter, Joseph s Jonathan and Sybil, Sept 24.
Lathe, Sally d Samuel and Sarah, Aug. 15.
Center, Jeremiah s Bill and Hannah, Oct 4.
Carter, Thaddeus, s Jabez and Lydia, Nov 21.
Richardson, Aaron s John and Hannah, Aug 21.
Wood, Solomon s Solomon and Lucy, Nov 21.
Jaquith, Prudence d Isaac and Prudence, March 31.
Twist, Mary d Edward and Sarah, Aug 31.
Richardson, Phebe d Bartholomew and Abigail, June 27.
Richardson, Isaac s Abel and Mary, Feb 25.
Simes, Samuel s Samuel and Susanne, Oct 26.
Thompson, Elizabeth d Jabez and Kezia, Aug 22.
Johnson, Nathan s Abel and Rebecca, Oct 13.
Skinner, Sarah d Joseph and Sarah, Oct 20.
Skinner, John s John and Susanna, Oct 16.
Hay, Anna d John and Sarah, April 4.
Tay 3d, Amy d William and Hannah, July 7.
Johnson, Phebe d Abijah and Mary, April 4.
Winn, Jonathan s Samuel and Mehetabel, June 11.
Wyman, Daniel s Daniel and Lucy, Oct 16.
Richardson, Peter s Abel and Anna, June 16.

1777.

Shaw, Samuel s Samuel and Abigail, b Jan 6.
Reed, Elizabeth d Micah and Elizabeth, Jan 2.
Bruce, Abigail d John and Sarah, March 16.

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AGENTS.

North Woburn — Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co

Winchester — Dr. David Youngman.

Stoneham — Mr. G. W. Dike.

Travelling Agent — GEORGE THOMPSON.

EDITORIAL.

ELECTION OF TOWN OFFICERS.

On Monday next the good people of this ancient and venerable town will assemble in their sovereign capacity for the purpose of selecting their municipal officers for the ensuing year. There is something that comes to the heart of every freeman in the exercise of so sacred a right. "Town-meeting day" may have lost something of the glory and novelty it possessed in the ancient time; but it has actually lost none of its importance. In the vast and growing interests of the nation—in our anxiety respecting the posture of affairs in Congress or our position among the nations of the earth, we may overlook our separate municipalities and forget that the nation is made up of states, the states of towns, the towns of individuals. We fear there is a growing neglect of personal, individual responsibility, in the conduct of our public affairs. To a few considerations touching this matter we beg leave to call the attention of our fellow citizens.

It is a fact worthy of consideration that each individual possesses an influence in public affairs. By the exercise of the elective franchise he is to determine the character of his rulers and the nature of the administration of the laws; in fine, the character of the government for the time being is left to his decision. We speak not now of its party character, whether it shall be Whig, Democrat or Free Soil; but rather of its moral character, whether the men elected shall be good men and true, both competent and faithful to discharge the trusts which shall be committed to them. Far too common is the idea that the exercise of the right of suffrage involves no special responsibility, its neglect, no criminality. Some may be ready to suppose that these remarks would apply well in the case of a presidential election, but that they are quite unnecessary and out of place in so insignificant and unimportant a matter as the election of town officers. True, the election on Monday next will not determine the character of our next national administration, but it is to determine matters in our town affairs. The absence of one individual or a dozen may not prevent the transaction of business, but did we all act upon the same principle, the matter might be serious.

Every citizen has some interest at stake, some influence to exercise for the common good. He is wanting in an essential qualification for a good citizen who does not feel some interest in public affairs. No one is at liberty to throw the whole burden upon a few, and to feel that some will do the town's business though he may not concern himself about it. Interested men, there may be, those who have their own purposes to accomplish, who will not fail to do their part in furthering their object; but is this a worthy cause of neglect for others? Not unfrequently will it be found that those are loudest in their complaints of bad management, of high taxes, wasteful expenditure, or other evils, who have made the least effort to prevent what they are so ready to condemn.

But we pass to what we consider of no less importance—the principles by which our action in the choice of officers and other matters should be directed. There may be circumstances where a man would be justified in adhering strictly to the principles of his party; but such circumstances cannot exist where we meet together as members of a little community, to take such action as shall secure a common good. In all our town officers we need good and competent men, and not party men. The attempt to make a man's political or religious faith the standard of his eligibility to a municipal office, is unjust and illiberal. We meet together as fellow citizens to act for the common good and not for party or sects, to promote the interest of the community and not personal or private advantage. Sectional interests or rivalries, too, should be forgotten in the desire to promote the public weal.

The importance of some of the matters to be brought forward on Monday, should not be overlooked. The question touching the management of the schools, and the continuance of the present "District System," is of no small moment. This system has been generally abandoned, especially in all our larger towns, as hindering and impairing the efficiency of common schools. Our position, relative to the liquor law, is another matter which demands attention. Cases there are in which the use of spirituous liquors are absolutely necessary; yet none can be at present sold in Woburn except in direct violation of law. Shall the town become a party to so palpable a transgression of an existing statute? Other matter, which may have a more local or sectional importance will claim our attention. Let no one shirk or shrink from the responsibility devolving upon him. If the fate of the country may not be concerned as at a November election, the interests of the sovereign people and the sovereign town of Woburn are. At any rate, do not stay at home on Monday and grumble about mismanagement all the rest of the year.

A single word or two as to the meeting tonight, and we have done. The importance of these preliminary meetings is often underrated. A nomination is sometimes tantamount to an election. The selection of town officers should not be left to a few individuals, whom personal feelings or party biases may influence. Let the meeting be indeed one of the citizens of Woburn, drawn together by a desire to select the best men for our public offices, that thereby the general good may be promoted. Let this meeting be well attended and we will risk the result on Monday.

☞ The closing lecture before the Lyceum for the season was delivered on Monday evening last by Rev. T. Star King of Boston. His subject was Substance and Show, and was able and eloquently discussed and illustrated. The speaker showed conclusively that there is something greater, higher and nobler than the mere "pomp and circumstance" of life. These have their influence, but that influence is not primary but subordinate. There is a power underlying, greater and more controlling. Intellect, thought, energy of character, truth, science, these are the originating, moving powers, that lie at the foundation of all that is truly great, useful and good. Such lectures leave an impression upon the minds of the listeners that time will not easily efface. They awaken thought, they show what in man is truly worthy of man. They disclose the way and the means whereby a controlling influence may be attained and exerted over the world of mind. This lecture was emphatically the gem of the season.

At the close of the lecture a meeting was held to organize the Lyceum for the ensuing lecture season. The following board of officers were chosen:

George W. Champney, President; Joshua P. Converse, Vice President; Dr. Truman Rickard, Secretary; J. B. Winn, Treasurer.

The committee was instructed to make early arrangements for securing lecturers. It is to be hoped that a more *general* interest will be felt by our citizens in these Lyceum Lectures. The largest room in town should prove too small to accommodate the number desirous of attending. The expense of the course is but a trifle. During the past winter there have been sixteen lectures at an expense of only seventy-five cents to each individual. This is not quite five cents for each lecture. Till a larger number wish to attend these lectures it will be useless to talk of erecting a Lyceum Hall. When an absolute need of such a building is *felt* by our citizens for their own accommodation, they will be ready to give it more than a passing thought. We may then expect that some "substantial force" will be *felt*, producing results that will be *seen*.

Declamation Olio.

We were highly pleased on Wednesday evening last at the Town Hall listening to the various youthful declaimers. The object of these Olios is a good one, and must meet the approbation of all good citizens. We hear it is the intention of the conductor of these entertainments, to whom much praise is due, to render them still more interesting to the listeners, and of more permanent benefit to the performers. There were two prizes on this occasion, the first of which was awarded to C. A. Winn, the second to Arthur G. Smith; both lads of about fifteen, but possessing oratorial powers which would do credit to more mature years.

The next Olio takes place one week from Thursday evening next.

☞ Considerable speaking is expected at the Town Meeting on Monday, and the usual amount of raps and calls to order are expected. The boys who usually make great noise by the door are expected to take front seats, that their parents may see their good behavior, and those more especially who have turned our concerts and other exercises at the Town Hall lately into yells, whistling and stamping, more becoming savage nations than any other, are particularly requested to be present and exhibit some of their music, that all may know in what estimation our town is held by those who have attempted to give concerts and other exercises at the Town Hall. We have received several communications on this subject, and we hope something will be done to check this rowdy spirit.

☞ The bell for the Church of the First Baptist Society of this town is on its way and may be expected here early next week. The weight of the bell has been mis-stated in some of the Boston papers, its true weight being 3320 pounds.

☞ Rumblings and jarrings were perceived at Reading, on Thursday night, 23d ult. Similar phenomena were perceived at East Woburn, on a previous night. They may have proceeded from actual earthquakes, or, still more probably, from the cracking of the earth, of which we often hear in severe winter.

No need of it. A petition has been presented to the Legislature from Woburn asking an act of incorporation for a *gas* company. We had supposed it unnecessary to associate together for such a purpose, since the business is carried on so successfully by individuals. [Andover Advertiser.

The supposition of the Andover man is doubtless founded both upon experience and observation. The step to which he alludes would be entirely unnecessary in his locality, where, as he informs us, "the business is carried on so successfully by individuals," and where, consequently, there is more *gas* than *light*. Here the case is reversed, hence the petition.

☞ The next Phalanx Assembly will be Wednesday evening, March 8th, instead of Thursday. We understand that extensive arrangements are being made by the Committee of Arrangements, for the Military Ball, which will take place Wednesday Evening, 22d inst.

☞ We are indebted to the Hon. Charles Sumner and the Hon. N. P. Banks, for public documents.

The Governor signed the Plurality Law Tuesday, so that in all elections hereafter holden for the choice of town, city, or county officers by the people, the person receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Whenever two or more persons are to be elected to the same office, the several persons to the number required to be chosen, having the highest number of votes, shall be declared elected.

The Lowell Courier says that the man who was found dead Wednesday, was lying between the tracks, about midway between Lowell and Billerica Mills station. The body was cold when found, and the clothing consisted only of cotton overalls and a thin frock of the same fabric, which was completely saturated with water. There was a slight wound on the back of the head. A coroner's inquest was held, which decided that the deceased came to his death mainly from exposure to the weather, and that the wound might have been caused by contact with a passing train. In his pocket was found a passage ticket from Liverpool, dated Jan. 10, 1854, in the name of Fras. Thornton. He was supposed to be about 26 years old.

Large gangs of laborers are busily employed in laying the rails on the Eastern Railroad extension in Somerville, Charlestown, and across the new bridge, with a view of completing the track at the earliest possible day. [Journal.

We have just had laid upon our table a new work entitled "The Principles of Grammar, being a Compendious Treatise on the languages, English, Latin and Greek," by Solomon Barrett, Jr.

This Grammar is written upon an altogether new principle of analysis, by which any word of the Greek or Latin languages may be separated into regular analytical divisions, and by the addition of the proper prefix and terminative, be made to assume any part of speech required. This system of analysis is founded upon certain unvariable relations between the different parts of speech, and which are an unmistakable guide to accuracy. We have been able to give this work but a cursory examination; but we must say that it is the most perfect system of grammatical analysis with which we are acquainted, and we can most cordially recommend it to the perusal of those engaged in philological pursuits.

It has the high recommendation of the most distinguished statesmen, together with the Professors of the prominent colleges.

Fires in Winchester. At about 10 o'clock Sunday evening, 26th ult., a fire was discovered in an unfinished building owned by B. F. Lindsey. The flames having made considerable advance before the fire was given, this building, together with a small cottage and outbuildings, owned also by Lindsey, were entirely consumed.

The fire also extended to a house owned by Joseph Shattuck, and occupied by Mr. Moody. The house was saved though very much damaged. The family occupying it were fortunately absent at the time; their furniture was saved though seriously injured.

Loss on this house estimated at $600,—insured.

Loss on Lindsey's buildings about $1500—insured for $700.

The fire was probably the work of an incendiary.

At about 6 o'clock, Wednesday morning, 1st inst., a fire was discovered in the large mill owned by H. Parker, and occupied by him for sawing Veneers, and by Joel Whitney for a machine shop, and by several other workmen.

The citizens were promptly on the spot with their engine, Excelsior, and soon succeeded in quelling the flames. Three engines from Woburn arrived in a short time, but happily found little to do.

The fire probably originated from sparks emitted from grinding a veneer saw, and catching in the saw dust below.

Damage estimated at about $1500—insured.

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☞ Do you wan't a beautiful Spring coat, or a Spring hat, the "Excelsior" hat, or a beautiful "Napoleon Tie" for the neck? If you do,go immediately to Miles' Ready-made Clothing and Gentlemen's Furnishing Rooms, Wade's Block, he has just received a beautiful assortment.

A young lady who lost her arm on the South Reading Railroad, Mass., brought suit to recover $10,000. It was proved that she attempted to get into the cars after the train had been put in motion, and the jury very properly returned a verdict for defendants.

☞ We have received a large number of publications and documents of various kinds, which, owing to the absence of the editor, have not been examined, but will receive proper notice in due time.

W(h)ig Disturbance. Some wags have asserted that certain Whig Makers offered Mr. Spalding a handsome sum to suppress the manufacture of his Castor Oil and Rosemary Hair Wash, from the fear that it would destroy their trade. Seriously, this preparation is the best re-producer of hair, and also adorner of it, that is known. Who would be without rich glossy locks, when 25 cents will procure them?

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

Lyceum Hall.—It is rumored that a company in town have purchased the Daguerreotype Saloon on the Common for a Lyceum Hall, and it is to be brilliantly lighted with Gas.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Editorial Correspondence.]

Steamer Gov. Morehead,
Pamlico River, N. C., *Feb.* 20, 1854.

I have become much in favor of scribbling on board of steamers; it seems to relieve the sometimes tedious hours of a passage on a long river. The common usage of dating letters from great cities and celebrated spots is rather stale, and I like a new idea; therefore I write this while passing up this winding river of the good old State of North Carolina.

My last letter was from on board the steamer as we were entering the harbor of Norfolk, a fine one, at the extremity of which is the Gosport Navy Yard, looming up with its large buildings, and meeting the eye of the stranger with agreeable surprise. Near by lay the majestic war ship Pennsylvania, a frigate of the first class; she looked nobly as she lay in *peace* at her anchorage. The Gosport Navy Yard is one of the largest in the Union. Adjoining is the city of Portsmouth, a rival of Norfolk in commerce and trade; making hasty strides in population and business to overtake her neighbor.

Norfolk is a large commercial city, full of business and activity, increasing in facilities and opening new avenues for trade. There is a want of regular conveyance by sea between Norfolk and Boston, which if remedied would rapidly increase the business to Boston. I left Norfolk with fair impressions of its future growth and importance as a commercial city.

Early in the morning I took the cars on the Sea Shore and Roanoke Railroad thirty-seven miles to Franklin. This road is one of the best I have seen in Virginia. At ten o'clock I embarked on board the steamer Stag, on the river Blackwater, one of the most serpentine and romantic rivers I ever saw. It runs 110 miles, entering into Albemarle Sound, which we crossed, and entering the Roanoke River, passed twelve miles to Plymouth, in North Carolina, arriving after dark.

The Blackwater river is so named from the color of the water, which becomes so from the Cypress and Juniper trees which line its banks. This river is very narrow at Franklin, and continues so for a long distance. I could easily have jumped ashore from either side, the steamer often rubbing against trees and bushes, the depth varying from 10 to 40 feet. There are many stories told of incidents on this river in the revolution, it being a great resort for the Virginia planters in conveying property to the interior, the enemy not having blockaded its mouth. I have not time to note these items here.

After a tremendous stage ride of thirty-seven miles over a rough road, commencing at two o'clock in the morning, I arrived at the snug and beautiful city of Washington, in North Carolina, on the Pamlico river, to which vessels of light draught can ascend the river, making it something of a commercial city. I was pleased to meet here with an old Boston friend, James Wyman, Esq., who resides in Lexington and is not unknown in Woburn. I also had an introduction to a branch of the Fowle family from Woburn, who have resided here for many years, making, by industry and mercantile integrity, the path of life pleasant and happy; filling the measure of this world's goods, and fully sustaining the honored name which they brought from old Woburn. I am indebted to the citizens generally of this city for their kindness and genuine hospitality, which is characteristic of the Southern people, and which has been manifested to me in all my intercourse with them.

Boston has considerable trade with Washington, and would have a much larger one if the facilities for transportation were increased. I have no time to note the beauty of this town in shade trees and shrubbery. I could fill sheets, but will reserve it for the future. I suppose you have plenty of snow and ice,—here I picked flowers to-day in the open garden.

I left this place early on the 21st, and am now, as you will see, on board the steamer George Morehead, on the Pamlico river, and nearing the town of Greenville, from which I shall take stage, passing over a plank road thirty-seven miles to Wilson, on the great Southern Railroad, from which I shall take my ticket for "Home, sweet Home."

G. M. F.

New Orleans, Feb, 1854.

Mr. Editor,—Please insert the following in your very interesting Journal.

Feeling deeply indebted to the inhabitants of Woburn for the most magnanimous, christian forbearance, manifested towards the youth who now addresses them, he feels it incumbent on him to offer his sincere, heartfelt thanks for the same, praying that the sunshine of peace and prosperity may ever illumine your beautiful village, and shed an halo of happiness around its most humble cottage; that no pestilential breeze may taint the pure salubrious atmosphere that surrounds your homes, and that the beautiful goddess, Contentment, will ever be the guardian angel of every household.

And, further, if he is ever successful in obtaining the favor of the fickle goddess, Fortune, to obtain which he has become a wanderer o'er the fertile plains of the sunny South, he will immediately devise means to free himself from the obligations of a pecuniary character he is under to some of the citizens of your town that he may honorably visit a place the name of which will ever be associated with pleasant recollections and feel himself an independant man. T. O. B.

☞ Our readers will perceive, by referring to our advertising columns, that our neighbor J. W. Hammond, is receiving a supply of Spring goods, hats, caps, &c. Call on him, all ye needy ones.

Written for the Journal

Extract from the Report of the Superintendant of the Public Schools of the City of Boston.

Friend Fowle,—In view of the approaching election of School Officers, and their selection of teachers, a few appropriate suggestions, extracted from the Report of the Superintendant of the Public Schools in Boston, will not, I trust, be uninteresting to the readers of your Journal, who have the welfare of our Public Schools at heart.

In reference to the laws of health and human development, Mr. Bishop says, "The health of children is a sacred trust committed in some degree to the guardians and teachers of schools. Teachers need to learn the general laws of the physical growth of children, so that they may know how to take care of those placed under their charge. They should be able to teach them the proper postures for sitting and standing. They should require no positions of the arms or of the body unfavorable to a right development of the chest, nor to permit any to stand or sit too long at a time. They should not expose the health of their pupils, by neglecting to have their school rooms suitably warmed in the morning and well ventilated during the day. The Creator has established certain great laws of human growth and health, which can never be violated with impunity. He has so organized our bodies that they are making constant demands for a proper supply of pure air, and frequent demands for pure water and wholesome food.

Atmospheric air which has been taken into the lungs once is rendered quite impure, and the breathing of this vitiated air over again is positively injurious to health, like the breathing of *malaria* itself.

Teachers must resort to every means in their power to change the air in their rooms as often as possible, without exposing their pupils to sudden change of temperature. Every day, at the close of the morning and of the evening session, and also at the time of the recess, the rooms should be opened and well ventilated, for the sake of preserving the health of both teachers' and scholars. The small children should have a variety of gentle exercises, well adapted to develop their physical powers, and at the same time to afford them pleasant amusements. In addition to the recesses allowed each half day, all the younger children need provision for some gentle exercise as often as once in every half hour, such as rising, walking, marching, accompanied with such motions of the arms as would tend to give fulness and erectness to the chest. Every one who has carefully observed the uniform tendency of young children to constant motion when left free to follow their own pleasures and impulses, must have been impressed with the thoughts that they are thus unconsciously working out the will of their Creator, who has made these varied and almost perpetual motions indispensable conditions to their healthful growth. All bad management of a child in training the organs of his body, the powers of his mind, or the affections of his heart, will appear in his manhood, having injured the robustness of his constitution, weakened the vigor of his intellect, or impaired the moral tone of his spirit."

The Qualifications of Teachers.—Says the Report, "All agree that a thorough education, an amiable disposition, good self-government, agreeable manners, a fondness for children and skill in teaching them, patience in exercising a judicious government, good health, faithfulness in the performance of duty, practical wisdom and prudence in training up children in the way they should go, are among the essential qualifications of good teachers. The distinction, then, is, that all the excellencies of character which ever can be united in one human being would not make that person fit for a teacher, unless to these qualities were added ability and skill to teach and govern children in a proper manner. This view does not in any degree lower the standard of moral and other qualifications, because teaching and governing in the best manner require the full exercise of them all. Training the minds and hearts of children aright requires a clear and comprehensive view of the established laws of mental and moral development. Great pains should be taken to obtain very good teachers. This city cannot afford to employ any but very good teachers, for the real value of a teacher's services, who has only ordinary skill in his profession, is not more than *one-half* as that of a very good teacher. 'But this is not all,' says Dr. Wayland, 'He who occupies three years in teaching what might as well, with a little more skill, be taught in two years, does a far greater injury than he would do by simply abridging his pupils lives by one year. He not only abstracts from their acquisitions one year's improvement, but all the knowledge which would have been the effect of it for the remainder of their lives.'

I am sorry that it is sometimes assigned as a reason for appointing and retaining in the schools unsuccessful teachers, that they are poor, and dependant on their salaries for a livlihood. Now this, at first thought, may seem to be a knd-hearted act done to some worthy person. But though I yield to no man in my sympathies for such teachers, I cannot avoid extending my sympathies also to the children under their care. Then this act of miscalled kindness, besides being an insult to every good teacher in the schools by placing him on the list of paupers, becomes a wrong so enormous that it is not easy to give it a name. Translating this action into words it is saying, it is more important to the community that *one* mortal, perishable *body* should be fed and clothed, than that *fifty* or *sixty* immortal, imperishable *minds* should be furnished with the food required for intellectual growth, and be clothed with garments woven with enduring virtues." L.

Woburn, Feb. 28, 1854.

Publications Received.

Graham's Magazine for March is received and a capital number it is, too. To enumerate all the good things would be impossible. Our fair friends will find the usual variety which Mr. Graham always serves up. It may be had at Fowle's bookstore.

Peterson's Magazine. The March number of this monthly contains many beautiful illustrations with its usual quantity of reading matter. Fowle has it.

The Ladies' Wreath and Parlor Annual. The March number contains very pretty readings in prose and verse.

Godey's Lady's Book. The March number of Godey is one of the best.

Littell's Living Age, No. 510, contains upwards of thirty articles, all good.

Gleason comes to us as usual filled with entertaining matter. Can be had at Fowle's.

Special Notices.

A CARD.

The subscriber takes this method to return his sincere thanks to the citizens and several fire companies of Winchester, Woburn, and vicinity, for their prompt and efficient aid in extinguishing the fire, occurring in his mill on the morning of March 1st.

Nothing is more gratifying, in the hour of trial and danger, than to see friends and citizens rallying to the rescue. HARRISON PARKER.

Winchester, March 1st, 1854.

NOTICE.

The subscriber will Lecture in the Town Hall, on Sunday evening next, (Lord willing,) commencing at 7½ o'clock. Subject—The Kingdom of God and Evidence of its Near Approach.

A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

Woburn, March 1, 1854. M. ALLEN.

A CARD.

The officers and members of Sturgis Engine Co. No 1, of Woburn, return their sincere thanks to the citizens of Winchester, for the bountiful supply of refreshments furnished us after the fire this morning,

Per order. G. W KIMBALL, Clerk.

Woburn, March 1, 1854.

NOTICE.

The citizens of Woburn, without distinction of party, are requested to meet at the Town Hall, on Saturday Evening, March 4, to select Candidates for Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Feb. 23, 1854.

Warren Academy.

THE Summer Term of this institution will commence Wednesday, April 5th, under the charge of John J. Ladd, A. B., Principal.

The various departments of Music, Drawing, Modern Languages, will be provided with experienced teachers.

A large class of young men has been formed during the past term, for the purpose of qualifying themselves for accountants and book-keepers. Any wishing to pursue this branch will be accommodated.

Those wishing it will find ample accommodations for board at the Academy boarding house, on reasonable terms.

B. CUTTER, Secretary for the board of Trustees.

Woburn, March 1st. 5w

School District Warrant.

To JOHN D. TIDD, Clerk of School District No. 1, in Woburn, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the legal voters in School District No. 1, to meet at the Town Hall, on Tuesday, the fourteenth inst, at 7 o'clock P M., then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the District for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose a Prudential Committee for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To choose an Auditing Committee and any other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To hear and act upon the report of the Auditors.

Art. 6. To hear and act upon the report of the Prudential Committee.

Art. 7. To see what sum or sums of money the District will raise the ensuing year, and in what manner appropriate the same, or do anything relating thereto.

Art. 8. To see if the District will authorize the Prudential Committee to draw from the Town Treasury, the ensuing year, the money belonging to the District.

Art. 9. To see if the District will adopt any measures to raise the present low standard of discipline and instruction in the *Grammar School*, by instructing the Committee in reference to the employment of a kind and competent teacher, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 10. To hear and act upon the report of the committee chosen in May last to consider upon the necessity of providing another school-room.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies of it in the usual manner, seven days, at least, before the time of said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to me, at the time and place aforementioned.

Given under my hand this second day of March, *Anno Domini* 1854.

WALTER WYMAN, *Prudential Committee.*

A true copy, attest,
JOHN D. TIDD, *Clerk.*

REAL ESTATE
—AT—
AUCTION.

WILL be offered at Auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., on the premises, a new story and a half House and a woodshed, with about 1-3 of an acre of land, with a good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated in Woburn, on Central Square, on the westerly side of a new street, running out of Lowell street, and is about 3-4 of a mile from Woburn Centre, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, and the Branch Railroad Depot, and affords a good opportunity to any person to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn.

ALSO, at the same time and place, will be sold some articles of personal property, viz: 1 Secretary, chairs, crockery, glass and tin ware, 1 cooking stove, 1 parlor do., together with several other articles not mentioned.

By order of MRS. RHODA McINTIRE.

WM. WINN JR., Auct'r.

Woburn, Feb. 27th, 1854. 4w

CORDWOOD
—AT—
AUCTION.

WILL be sold at Auction, in lots to suit, on TUESDAY, the 7th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., about 75 cords of Oak, Walnut, and Pine Wood of the first quality, cut and corded, situated on RAG ROCK, adjoining town meadow, on land formerly owned by William Flagg, and is about 1-2 mile from Woburn Centre.

Access good at all seasons of the year.

By order of Messrs BACON & COLGATE.

WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.

P. S If stormy on the said day, the sale will be on the next fair day at the same hour.

Woburn, Feb 28, 1854. 1t

WOOD
—AT—
AUCTION.

WILL be sold at Auction, in lots, on THURSDAY, the 9th inst. at 1 o clock P. M., the wood standing on about 5 acres of land, situated in Woburn, on RAG ROCK, adjoining town meadow and the canal, being on the land formerly owned by Dea. John Cummings, and is about 100 rods from Woburn common. The growth consists of Oak, Maple, Pine and cedar, of a good quality.

There is on said lot, a large number of cedars, of an excellent quality, suitable for posts.

Per order of JOHN CUMMINGS, Jr.

WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.

P. S. If stormy on said day, the sale will be on the next fair day at the same hour.

Woburn, March 2d, 1854. 1t

SPRING STYLE HATS.

A GOOD assortment of HATS and CAPS, of the latest patterns, for sale by

J. W. HAMMOND,
Fowle's Block.

Constable's Sale.

MIDDLESEX, SS. Taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction, on Thursday, the 9th day of March, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the shop of A. W. Goodell, on Bow street, the following articles of personal property, to wit: Four antique chairs, 1 Buffalo Robe, 1 second hand harness.

EDWARD SIMONDS, Constable.

March 4. tf

HOUSE AND LAND FOR SALE.

A House, containing 6 rooms, with sheds adjoining. Also, 1 large blacksmith's shop, with about 16 acres of land, consisting of tillage and pasturing, and a very nice orchard, situated in the westerly side of Woburn, on Cambridge street. Said place will be sold on the most reasonable terms, on application to the subscriber near the premises.

JONAS HALE.

N. B. If not sold by the first of April, the house and shop will be to let. mar4—tf

Administrator's Sale OF Real Estate.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, the 24th day of March next, at 3 o'clock, P M, on the premises, all the Real Estate of the late E kanah E. Foss, deceased, situated on Lexington street, about half a mile from the Centre Village of Woburn, being the late residence of said Foss.

Said real estate consists of about three-quarters of an acre of land, with house and good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated on the south side of Lexington street, also about one-third acre of land, suitable for a house lot, with a shop thereon, situated on the north side of Lexington street, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, post office, and branch railroad depot, and affords a favorable opportunity for any gentleman to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn. Said estate is encumbered by a mortgage, and will be sold subject to such claim.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold a few articles of personal property, viz, a lot of lumber, wheelbarrow, farming tools, &c. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

MOSES J. PERSONS, Administrator.
WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Feb. 22, 1854.

NOTICE.

STEPHEN CUTTER would give notice that he has taken an office at his former residence on Walnut st, where he will give his attention to the healing of the sick. Terms, $1,00. References may be had by calling on him.

Woburn, Feb 23, 1854. tf

To Tanners and Curriers.

JUST received, three cases of prime thick Boots, manufactured of Shaved Leather, by J. Fletcher.
At Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, himnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

VALENTINES!!

JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW YORK, THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF SENTIMENTAL, COMIC —AND— JUVENILE VALENTINES EVER OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC, AT THE Woburn Bookstore.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

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(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.

WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.

Feb. 11. 3w

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The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG,
feb 11 3w Woburn Centre

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage to A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

CHARLES BOND

Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3900 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.

Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

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O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.

jan 21 tf

Town Warrant.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To either of the Constables of the town of Woburn, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said town of Woburn, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet in the Town Hall, in said Woburn, on Monday, the sixth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following Articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose all necessary Officers to serve the Town the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear and act on the Auditor's Report.

Art. 4. To hear and act on the Report of the Overseers of the Poor and Surveyors of Highways.

Art. 5. To hear and act on the Report of the Selectmen.

Art. 6. To hear and act on the Report of the Board of Engineers.

Art. 7. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of highways and bridges the ensuing year, and how the same shall be appropriated.

Art. 8. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of Schools the ensuing year, and how the same shall be appropriated.

Art. 9. To see what sum or sums of money the town will raise for the support of the Poor paying town debts and defraying the incidental expenses the ensuing year.

Art. 10. To see what the town will do in relation to killing birds and taking pickerel the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see what the town will do in relation to horses and neat cattle going at large the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see if the town will authorize the Prudential School Committe of the several districts to select and contract with teachers the ensuing year.

Art. 13. To see if the town will instruct the Committee on Reservoirs to cause a reservoir to be built on Main street, near the Flagg house, (so called,) or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 14. To hear and act on the Report of the Selectmen on the laying out of a new town way from Warren street to Main street, as petitioned for by A. H. Nelson and others.

Art. 15. To see if the town will continue the present School District System, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 16. To see if the town will recommit the report of the selectmen on the laying out of Franklin Avenue, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 17. To see if the town will request the selectmen to appoint an agent to sell liquor for the ensuing year; also to prosecute all violations of the "Maine Law," (so called) or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 18. To see if the town will instruct the selectmen to collect pay for the grass taken from the common, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 19. To see if the town will increase the pay of the fire companies, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 20. To see if the town will appropriate any money to be expended upon the common, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 21. To see what action the town will take in reference to causing the centre village and the streets near the Railroad Depot, to be lighted on nights when necessary.

Art. 22. To see what measures the town will take to provide teachers, who, in conformity to the law and humanity, have knowledge of the elementary principle of Physiology and Hygiene, and to have these sciences introduced and taught in our schools, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the public Meeting houses, in said town and cause the same to be published in the Woburn Journal, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT, And make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Woburn, this twenty-second day of February, A. D., 1854.

HORACE CONN,
HORACE COLLAMORE,
A. G. CARTER. } Selectmen of Woburn.

A true copy, attest,
EDWARD SIMONDS, Constable.

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON,
BOWEN BUCKMAN, } Commissioners.

Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

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ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states. For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Book store. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

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AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

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Woburn, Dec. 24, 1853. tf

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LUTHER MONSON, President.

E. W. THAYER, Secretary.

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.

Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. Vice Pres't, W. T. Hooker.
Secretary, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had.

G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT of TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office.

To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal.

G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.

jan 21.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (ONE of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

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WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. S. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. BAYLEY & CO tf

CHANGE IN BUSINESS, CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their full supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds. RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES---LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat
sept. 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by

A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by

JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by

THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by

Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by

WM. A. MILES.
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Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at

nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpachs, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by

L. THOMPSON, Jr.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS. CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.

nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING!

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,
(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)
BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M. 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M, carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by

EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.
may 14 tf

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured andfor sale by EDW. E. COOPER Druggist. apr2

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

JOHN MILLER, NORTH WOBURN, MASS., BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN

WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.

All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to apr30.

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S., PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.,

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for he wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	New York Herald
Traveller.	Tribune.
Journal	Commonwealth
Times.	Rambler.
Herald.	Banner.
Commonwealth.	Museum.
WEEKLY	MAGAZINES.
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journa	Graham's.
Olive Banch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
Drawing Room Companion.	Living Age.

Agent for all the Newspapers and Magazines in the UnitedStates. G. W. FOWLE

MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA, AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,

Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.

Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares

D. B. MOREY,
R. H. OBER } Dealers are invited to call and examine.
oct. 18. 1 year

A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spalding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

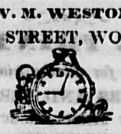
Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.

J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.

Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W. Fowle; Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishcly

W. M. WESTON, MAIN STREET, WOBURN,



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Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.

Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.

ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.

april 3 tf

CONVERSE & Co.,

WOBURN AND BOSTON R.R. EXPRESS.
5 TRIPS DAILY.

OFFICES. { 10 Court Sqare, Boston,
R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,

Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

AMOS LOCKE.

Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged herstore, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction.

M. TEARE.

oct 18 tf

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of

L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by

THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at

march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.

nov5 tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles, for sale at the Woburn Book store.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, by leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

BUSINESS CARDS.

EDWARD CASTELL,
Wholesale and retail
CONFECTIONER,
264 HANOVER STREET,
(Two doors above Richmond street,)
BOSTON.

☞ Constantly on hand a large assortment of English, French and American Confectionery, at wholesale and retail, at the lowest cash prices.
, Particular attention given to orders for exportation to the British Provinces.

HENSHAW & PRESCOTT,
Importers and dealers in
DRUGS, PAINTS and DYES,
Manufacturers of
COPAL VARNISH,
NO. 41 INDIA STREET, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to the British Provinces will receive prompt attention. jan7—1854—tf

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MARK ALLEN,
Manufacturer of
Penholders.
Rooms at Woburn Machine Shop,
Woburn, Mass.

☞ Orders for various styles of Penholders, respectfully solicited. July 30 tf

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LIBBY & BROTHERS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FOREIGN...AND...DOMESTIC
Dry Goods.
Nos. 206 & 208 Hanover Street,
(Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church.)
P F Libby. } BOSTON. { S. H. Libby

Philip Teare,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
KNIGHT'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Garments Cut and Made in the best manner, and warranted to fit. dec11tf

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George W. Fowle,
BOOKSELLER, STATIONER
AND
JOB PRINTER.
Agent for all the principal
NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

N. B. Old Books and Periodicals bound to order. Job Printing of all kinds, executed with neatness.

N. WYMAN,
—DEALER IN—
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS
No. 8 Wade's Buildings.
oct 18 tf WOBURN.

WM. A. MILES,
(Successor to Amos Bugbee, 2d.)
—DEALER IN—
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,
Wade's Block, Woburn,
June 4 tf

WILLIAM WINN, JR.,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER,
Burlington, Mass

Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms.
All orders left at this OFFICE, will be promptly attended to. oct 18

JOHN G. COLE,
PAINTER AND GLAZIER.

Paper Hanging, Whitewashing and Coloring done in the neatest manner. Also, Graining and Marbling.
Sashes and Blinds, of every description, furnished.
Paints, Oil and Glass, of the best quality.
Shop first building South of the Branch Railroad depot.
feb 14 tf. Main St., WOBURN.

J. H. EVANS,
NEW, IMPROVED, ORNAMENTAL
DRYING AND REVOLVING MACHINES,
Cambridgeport, Mass.
Orders left at Amos Waite's, 43 Brattle St., Boston,
—AND—
Fowle's Book Store, Woburn.

☞ Ladders, &c., always on hand.
oct 30 6 mos

HARRIS JOHNSON.
LICENCED AUCTIONEER.
Woburn, Mass

Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms. jan 31

THOMAS SLEATER & Co.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Foster's Wharf,....BOSTON.

Boots, Shoes, Leather and Merchandise purchased and sold. Orders left at Fowle's Bookstore, Woburn, will receive attention. nov 15 tf

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EDWARD E. COOPER,
—DEALER IN—
Drugs, Fancy Goods,
Medicines, Perfumery,
Chemicals, Dye Stuffs,
Nos. 5 & 6 Wade's Buildings,
WOBURN

Medicines delivered at all hours of the day and night Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared. Fresh Foreign Leeches constantly on hand mar 27 tf

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BATES & GOLDTHWAIT,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
CARPETINGS,
Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tailors' Trimmings, &c
PLUSHES, DRAB CLOTHS, DAMASKS, &c.,
(FOR CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS.)
No. 65 Washington Street,..........Boston
feb 21 tf

BAYRS & FAIRBANKS,
STATIONERS,
—AND—
ACCOUNT BOOK MANUFACTURERS,
No. 186 Washington Street,
BOSTON.

Importers of English and French Writing, Letter and Note Paper, Envelopes, Writing Parchments, &c
oct 18 tf

BY J. PHILBRICK.
BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 69 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

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June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

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Dear Sir—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, Dropsy, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills. I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.
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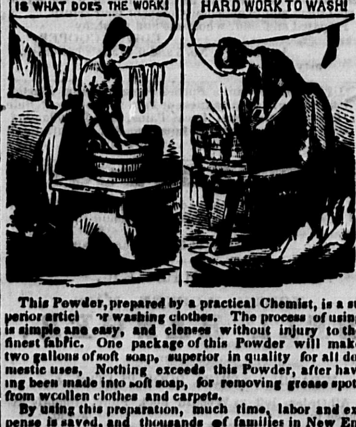

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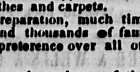

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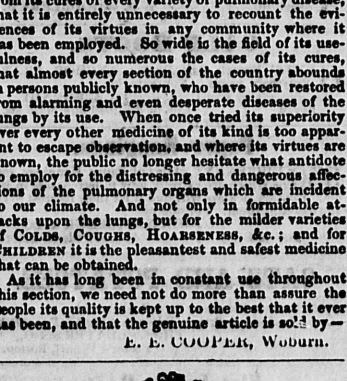

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To Professor Holloway,

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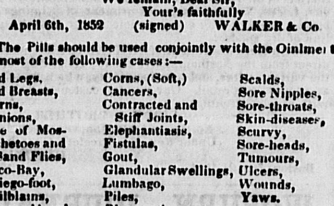

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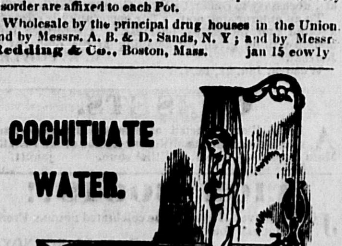

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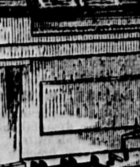

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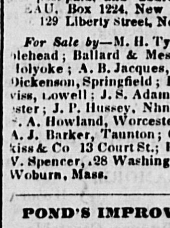

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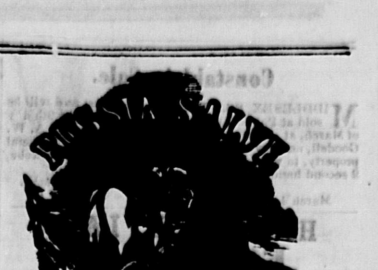

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POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

WHY IS IT?

I cannot see why some must weep
In bitterness their lives away,
And other gladsome beings keep
Their hearts so full of joy alway.

Nor do I know why many sink
On beds of suffering and pain;
While merrier ones have but to think
Of what will cause a smile again.

'Tis strange indeed, that oft a heart
Must linger on through toil and woe,
And find no friend to bear a part,
Or check the tears that ever flow.

It is not meant, perhaps, for me,
To read the many ways of God—
But this I know, that only He
Can make a blessing of the rod,

And truly if he smiles in love,
It is in love His smiles are given;
Then griefs are sent that we improve,
And joy's a sweet foretaste of heaven.

H. A. KING.

The following original hymns were sung at a social gathering at the Parsonage in Stoneham, in honor of their Parson, on Thursday last:

PASTOR'S WELCOME.

We bid you welcome to our home,—
Not this, not that, but one and all;
The old, the young, our heart says come,
We greet you joyful in this call.

We meet as friends and neighbors kind,—
We meet as flock and pastor too;
Some pleasant pastime here to find,
To talk, to sing, in friendship true.

We meet as those the gospel love,
And offerings to one temple bring;
We meet our interest to prove
In worship to our God and King.

May Heaven upon our meeting smile,
O'er every word and thought preside;
Make joyful all our hearts the while,—
Thus may our future moments glide.

Four years, dear friends, have flown
Since first on earth we met;
Thy tender care, great God, we own;
May none thy love forget.

Of "shady sides" they tell,
And many such there be;
We know it, one and all, full well,—
From troubles none are free.

But "sunny sides" are too,
For those who love the Lord,—
Who self forget his will to do,
And trust his faithful word.

A sunny spot is this,
Upon life's weary way,
To cheer us with its gladsomeness
For many, many a day.

To these beloved friends,—
To all met here to-night,
Our heart a welcome kind extends,—
May Heaven in us delight.

PEOPLE'S RESPONSE.

We come here to-night and cheerfully sing
Our glad song of praise to heaven's great King,
Who hath sent us a Pastor—a Shepherd to lead
His flock by still waters,—their hungry souls [feed.

Our gifts are but small, yet friendship will prize
The tokens bestowed,—not because of their [size;
A "cup of cold water," the poor "widow's mite,"
Are samples of what we shall offer to-night.

But love gives them value, and that we will show,
By heeding the counsels you kindly bestow;
Thus giving, we're gainers,—dispensing, we're blest;
May this be the portion of each welcome guest.

Then come, old and young, let us cheerfully sing
Our glad song of praise to heaven's great King,
Who hath sent us a Pastor,—a Shepherd to lead
His flock by still waters, their hungry souls feed.

Pilgrims in these mortal years,
Going whither Christ is gone;
All beset with doubts and fears,
Who shall lead our numbers on?

Sheep upon the mountains cold,
Dangers pressing thickly round,
Seeking for the heavenly fold;
Shepherd,—where shall one be found?

Heirs of glory prophets saw,
Who shall lead our souls above?
Who shall teach our Father's law,
Who portray our Brother's love?

One whom Christ to us hath given;
Friend and Teacher by our side,—
Welcome, in the name of Heaven!
Welcome for our constant guide.

Pastor! People! blest, unbroken,
Be the bond to which we cling;
And our gifts prove happy token,
Love has bound each offering!

ORIGINAL.

[For the Journal.]

MAN.

BY THEKLA—THE RECLUSE.

Notwithstanding the admirable passage in Holy Writ that affirms man to be the noblest work of God; notwithstanding many come up to the standard of perfection as far as they can advance in this life, yet God never created more horrid a creature, more despiseable, than the one that walks the earth in form of man. Now this is not applied to all men, but to some men. And though we read upon the inspired pages of history that Eve was the mother of deception, and that we, her daughters, all prove this historical record to be true, yet I challenge man, or the sons of men, to produce a woman, though her heart be one mass of deception, but that I can find her rival in man. And in order to show you such a man of deception, I will first set aside the gambler, the libertine and the drunkard, as you well know they deserve all they chance to fall in with, and present to you the deceiver of all deceivers, the man who would fain have the good opinion of the world, while his private life poisons the very atmosphere around his hearthstone. He who is found to be so gentle, so sympathising, so devotional abroad, and so full of mercy and pity to all those who are bound down. He who can appear thus to the world, and then to cause every bitter thought of the human heart to be brought into action in the breast of some near one, by cruel, tantalyzing, provoking language! He it is that is the black, the vile deceiver, more to be dreaded than the pestilence that maketh desolate. But know this, thou poor creature of clay, though thy words penetrate the remotest corner of the heart that you now seek to torture, though the tears fall and the broken sighs escape from their hiding place, yet know this, the world whom you deceive, and the heart that you now seek to lacerate, will never feel half the misery your own poor soul will, when you see that in all your deception you deceived most of all your own soul.

"The bread of deceit is sweet to a man, but afterwards his mouth shall be filled with gravel." [Proverbs.

HAZEL GREEN, 1854.

Written for the Journal.

REVOLUTIONARY RECORDS.

BY ANTIQUARY.

A Return of Capt. John Wood's Company in the 38th Regiment of Foot in the Continental Army Commanded by Lieut Colonel Loammi Baldwin 1775.

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Stephen Bennett, "
John Winship, Lexington.

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Thos Hadley, "
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Nath'l Trask, "

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James Brown, Drummer, Lexington.
Jacob Flyn, Fifer, Wilmington.

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Abraham Alexander, Woburn.
Ezekiel Allen, Lexington.
James Bennett, Woburn.
Jesse Hopkins, Wilmington.
Benj'm Kendall, Woburn.
Ebenezer Lock, "
Ebenezer Lock, Jr., "
Thomas Bennett, "
Benj'm Blanchard, "
Silas Burdoo, Lexington.
Peter Chapman, Dedham.
Jesse Dean, Woburn.
Thos Dean, "
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Mathew Ferington, "
John Fitch Jesil, Woburn.
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Enoch Willington, "
James Webber, "
David Fisk, "
65 JOHN WOOD, Captain.

MISCELLANEOUS.

☞ ORIGIN OF THE NAMES OF STATES. Maine was first named "Marvooshen," but, about 1638, took the name it now bears from Maine, a province in the western part of France. The name is originally derived from the Cenomani, an ancient Gallic people New Hampshire was the name given to the territory granted by the Plymouth Company to Capt. John Mason, by patent, in 1639, and was derived from the patentee, who was governor of Portsmouth, in Hampshire, England. Vermont is from *verd*, green, and *mont*, mountain. Massachusetts was named from a tribe of Indians in the vicinity of Boston. Roger Williams says the word signifies "blue hills." Rhode Island was so called, in 1644, in relation to the island of Rhodes, in the Mediterranean. New York was named in honor of the Duke of York, to whom this territory was granted. Pennsylvania was called after Wm. Penn. In 1664 the Duke of York made a grant of what is now the State of New Jersey to Lord Berkley and Sir George Carteret, and it received its name in compliment to the latter, who had been governor of the island of Jersey. Delaware was so called, in 1702, after Lord De La Ware. Maryland was named in honor of Henrietta Maria, queen of Charles I, in his patent to Lord Baltimore, June 3, 1632. Virginia was called after the virgin queen of England, Elizabeth. The Carolinas were named by the French, in honor of Charles IX., of France. Georgia was called, in 1692, after George II. Louisiana was named after Louis XIV. of France. Florida received its name from Ponce de Leon, in 1512, while on his voyage in search of the fountain of youth. He discovered it on Easter Sunday—in Spanish, *Pasque Florida*. The States of Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Arkansas and Missouri are all named from the principal river, and the names are of Indian origin —except perhaps Kentucky—and their meanings involved in some obscurity. Tennessee is said to signify a Curved Spoon; Illinois, the River of Men; Mississippi, the Whole River, or a river formed by the union of many. Michigan was named from the lake on its borders. Iowa is an Indian name; also, Texas, signifying Beautiful. California was thus named by the Spaniards at a very early day. N. Y. Sunday Times.

To show the extent to which the habit of using cant phrases is sometimes carried, the following conversation which transpired in the Stout family, is reported:—

"I declare to goodness, I really think Mr. Rustle is making up to our Josephine!" said Mrs. Stout, after the gentleman referred to had passed the previous evening at their house, staying to a rather later hour than usual.

"You'd better believe it," rejoined the young lady, playfully.

"You may bet high on that," added Napoleon, who was in the act of lighting a real Havana.

"How do you like the 'cut of his jib,' Timothy?" resumed Mrs. Stout, turning to her husband.

"I don't greatly like his 'rig,' but Josephine thinks he's 'some punkins!'" was the reply.

"Whether you like him or not, it's my opinion he'll make a 'tip-top husband,'" continued the mother.

"'Put her through,' mother," said Josephine, blushing.

"'Go in lemons!' suggested Napoleon, smoking through his nose; a remark by the way so ambiguous, that it cetainly must have puzzled other parties to guess at his meaning; but in the present case it seemed to be understood.

"Napoleon, I advise you to 'shut your hopper,'" elegantly retorted the young damsel.

Mr. Stout proceeded to inquire if Mr. Russell was a man of property, and was assured by his better half, that he had "a pocket full of rocks." The husband and father then remarked to the effect that he had been more favorably impressed with Mr. Goodwin, a young farmer in the neighborhood, than with the gentleman under consideration. Miss Stout manifested a different opinion on the subject, emphatically declaring that he "couldn't come in."

"He's over that way," said her brother, making a gesture over his shoulder with his thumb.

The above we are inclined to believe is not a fancy sketch. It shows the extent to which the practice of using cant phrases, when once acquired, may be carried.

Hair dye is now extensively used by horse thieves, for the purpose of disguising the horses they steal. It is said that when the dye is applied by a professional hand, well skilled in the business, that it is almost impossible even for the owner to recognize his own horse, so wonderful is the alteration in appearance.

The following scene occurred in the Senate of the United States on Thursday:

Mr. Jones of Tennessee.—Mr. President—In pursuance of a previous notice, I ask leave to introduce a bill and that it may be read twice and referred to the Committee of Public Lands.

The Chair—The first reading of the bill.

The Secretary, reading—A bill to do justice to all the States of the Union.—(Loud laughter.)

Mr. Badger—I move that it be put on its passage at once. (Laughter.)

Mr. Cass—The title is so attractive, we might pass it without reading.

Several Senators—"Read it. What's it about."

The Chair—It is to distribute the public lands amongst all the States. (Laughter.)

Cries of "Don't read it; that's enough."

The bill was then referred.

In building a chimney, put a quantity of salt into the mortar with which the inner courses of brick are to be laid. The effect will be that there never will be any accumulation of soot in that chimney. The philosophy is thus stated: The salt in that portion of the mortar which is exposed, absorbs moisture from the atmosphere every damp day. The soot thus becoming damp, falls down to the fire place. In consequence there is never any accumulation, and as there is only a little to fall, no inconvenience results. This appears to be an English discovery. It is used with success in Canada.

The season ticket holders and others, friends of Mr. R. M. Shipman, Conductor upon the Lowell Railroad, have manifested their esteem for him by presenting him with a very beautiful Gold Badge. It is of an oval form, designed to be worn upon the lapel of the coat, with a gold safety chain. Upon the face of it is engraved, upon the upper part a train of cars and below a general view of the Lowell factories; and across the centre, in raised letters, is the word "Conductor," richly set in diamonds. The whole cost, as we are informed, was three hundred dollars.

Rowland A. Smith, who was arrested at New Haven for extensive depredations on the mail, has been held to bail in the sum of $15,000. Postmasters and others who may know of the loss of money, lately mailed for or passing through New Haven, are requested to report all the facts, in writing, to either the postmaster at New Haven or Hartford. It is supposed that all the drafts, notes, checks, &c., purloined prior to the 23d ult., have been destroyed.

Mrs. Rhoda Chapin, a lady 65 years of age, committed suicide in Milford, by hanging herself with a rope. She cut a hole in the top of her bed-room door, sufficiently large to admit a rope, and after tying a large knot in the end of it, closed the door, and stepping into a chair, placed the noose around her neck, and then kicking the chair from under her, expired. She had exhibited symptons of insanity for several days previous.

It is said that forty-eight hours of total abstinence from liquids of all sorts will kill a cold entirely, and he who tries this remedy may go out into the air, and the more the better; for the more he walks and creates exhalation from the skin, the more he robs his blood of water, and the more thoroughly he breaks the bank on which the nose and throat and lungs rely for the means of making themselves troublesome.

In a lecture on China, which he delivered at Boston the other day, Dr. Bowring said it had been calculated, that if all the bricks, stone and masonry of Great Britain were gathered together, they would not be able to furnish materials enough for the great wall of China; and that all the buildings in London put together, would not make the towers and turrets which adorn it.

A single ward in the city of Boston, the fourth, has an assessed valuation of upwards of $60,000,000, and it is probably the richest locality of its size in the United States. This ward is nearly as wealthy as the city of Baltimore, with 170,000 inhabitants; it has four times the property of the entire city of Portland, and six times that of Salem.

Counterfeit $5's on the Webster Bank are in circulation. They are well calculated to deceive. New counterfeit $1's on the Farmers' Bank of Bridgeport, Conn., have also appeared.

About two hundred laborers employed upon the Midland Railroad in Dedham, struck for higher wages. They proceeded down the track to Dorchester, driving off all those disposed to work at the old price.

It may not be generally known that editors get one important item of subsistence at a very low price—they get bored for nothing.

The newspaper publishers of Boston, at their meeting on Wednesday afternoon, voted to increase their charges for advertising 25 per cent.

The population of Russia, as shown by a recent census, is 65,170,400.

WOBURN RECORDS.

BIRTHS CONTINUED.

1777.

Wyman, Sarah d Nathaniel and Sarah, Mar 7.
Richardson, Relief d Edmund and Mary, July —.
Andrews, Betsy d Abraham and Esther, Sept 12.
Brown, Jeptha s Josiah and Judith, April 3.
Carter, Abigail d Benjamin and Susanna, Feb 3.
Richardson, Jerusha d Josiah and Jerusha, May 4.
Eaton, Mary d Jonathan and Lucy, Sept 8.
Jaquith, Ursula d Isaac and Prudence, April 15.
Skilton, Ruth d Daize and Ruth, Oct 16.
Reed, Ruth d Ebenezer and Anna, Mar 20.
Brown, Daniel Green s Daniel G and Rebekah, Sept 16.
Richardson, Jemima d Zadok and Sally, Mar 26.
Simonds, Mary d Azel and Mary, Oct 26.
Richardson, Calvin s Jeduthan and Mary, Feb 5.
Baldwin, Franklin s Loammi and Mary, Dec 15.
Winn, Elizabeth d David and Hannah, Nov 11.
Winn, Ebenezer Bridge s Timothy and Mary, Nov 13.
Parker Henry s Josiah and Hannah, July 2.
Tyler, John s Moses and Anna, April 4.
Kendall, Isaac s Jonathan and Joanna, Feb 19.
Winn, Jacob s Jacob and Mary, Feb 20.
Edgell, Abigail d Benjamin and Susanna, May 2.
Hay, John s John and Sarah, Aug 12.
Cummings, Jemima d Ebenezer and Jemima, June 28.
Richardson, Martha d Stephen and Martha, Mar 23.
Richardson, Catharine d Ebenezer and Catharine, June 1.
Johnson, Susanna d Daniel and Anne, June 14.
Flagg, Hannah d John and Abigail, Mar 11.
Richardson, Edward s Edward and Sarah, Sept 1.
Young, Sarah d William and Elizabeth, Oct 8.
Richardson, Abel s Abel and Anna, Aug 1.
Converse, Luther s Josiah and Hepzibah, Jan 26.
Cutler, Nathaniel s Nathaniel and Elizabeth, Mar 2.

1778.

Alexander, Rebekah d Giles and Sarah, b Feb 27.
Wright, Edmund s Jonathan and Ruth, Mar 27.
Carter, Thomas s Jabez and Lydia at Reading, July 25.
Coggin, Abigail d Jacob and Abigail, July 3.
Wright, Lydia d Josiah and Lydia, Sept 22.
Carter, Jabes s Jonathan and Sybil, Aug 11.
Reed, Joanna d Samuel and Joanna, May 14.
Johnson, Jotham s Jotham and Eunice, May 6.
Carter, Lydia d William and Lydia, Dec 1.
Lathe, Samuel s Samuel and Sarah, May 27.
Richardson, Edmund s Bartholomew and Abigail, July 30.
Eames, Jacob s Jacob and Esther, Mar 27.
Bruce, George s George and Esther, Oct 26.
Wyman, Rufus s Zebadiah and Eunice, July 16.
Pool, Eleazer Flagg s Eleazer F and Mary, Feb 25.
Carter, Bill s Simon and Susanna, Dec 11.
Winn, Pamela d Joseph and Betty, Jan 7.
Skilton, Ruth d Thomas and Elizabeth, Nov 1.
Clough, Nathan s Nathan and Sarah, May 10.
Skinner, William s Joseph and Sarah, July 5.
Skinner, Joanna d John and Susanna, Dec. 11.
Edgell, John Wyman s Benjamin and Susanna, Dec 27.
Brooks, Reuben s Nathaniel and Esther, Apl 27.
Miller, Sally d Job and Sarah, Feb 14.
Brown, Jephthah s Josiah and Judeth, April 3.
Richardson, Zebulon s Zebulon and Abigail, July 11.
Wyman, Sally d David and Lucy, Sept 15.

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Bruce, Elisabeth d John and Sarah, b Feb 6.
Center, Mary d Bill and Hannah, Apl 10.
Reed, Elizabeth, d Micah and Elizabeth, Feb 25.
Wright, Jessee s Jessee and John, May 30.
Wyman, Randolph s Jesse and Esther, April 28.
Robbins, Edward Jewett s Jonathan and Sarah, March 6.
Richardson, Hannah d Nathan and Lydia, Aug 28.
Simonds, Luther s Luther and Bathsheba, Nov 30.
Richardson, Fanny d Lt Jeduthan and Mary, May 20.
Parker, Hannah d Josiah and Hannah, Mar 19.
Evans, Jonas s Jonas and Rachel, Nov 17.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, MAR. 11, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. NICHOLS, WINN & Co
Winchester—Dr. DAVID YOUNGMAN.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. DIKE.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

M. D. S.—We shall publish your lines as soon as we can spare room.

PAOLINA.—Your lines to "Persevere" are very acceptable; they are on file for early insertion.

H. A. KING.—Practice is said to make perfect. Your improvement is very evident. Your last lines to "My Mother" are full of pure sentiment, and are, as usual, very acceptable.

☞ Our correspondents have been neglected during our absence, and they will excuse us if we have not noticed those received in our absence.

EDITORIAL.

HOME.

After an absence of over five weeks, and traveling over two thousand miles through the Southern States, we are again at home, in our own sanctum, and seated in the old arm chair, with piles of papers and publications for us to read and form an opinion on their merits;—not a very easy task after being steamed over railroads and on steamers, with a sprinkling of the old-fashioned "stage ride" over corduroy roads and through deep streams, partaking of the comforts to be enjoyed in night rides to fill up the variety.

The facilities for traveling are very great, and we can hardly realize the fact, that but a few years since we frequently made a three days journey from Boston to New York, at an expense of some $20. Then it was a day's journey from Boston to Providence. We remember when our Father made two week's preparation for a journey to Northampton, and on parting doubts were expressed whether he would ever get back. Progress, however, is the word; it has changed the customs of the past, and may change the present in its rapid advance.

We have not seen a spot to compare with our own New England,—her beautiful cities and towns, her tall spires, her school-houses, her noble institutions, her white cottages scattered along her hills and fertile valleys, her cultivated fields, her happy yeomanry, all these impress the traveler who visits us with admiration, and we hear abroad the expressions of high opinions of New England and her noble enterprise. And Woburn, our own good old town of Woburn, is one among the many beautiful towns whose fame for rural scenery and charming residences has gone abroad, and we were proud to hear the merited praise.

We have many incidents of travel to note, which will not be forgotten.

☞ The Woburn Mechanic Phalanx Assemblies have passed off the past season very pleasantly. The closing one, on the 22d inst., will be a grand Military Ball, in full military dress, at the Central House—the entire house has been taken for the occasion. By the cards of invitation, one of which we have to acknowledge by the politeness of Capt. Winn, we find the management in the hands of active members, who will bring out the closing ball in a superior order. We are officially informed that invitations will be sent to the governor and suite—Gen. Sutton and staff; Gen. Jones and staff; Col. Green and staff; the officers of the 4th Regiment, besides many other prominent military men, all of whom may be expected in full dress. The music will be by Smith's Salem Band, of whose superior performances we can speak from personal knowledge.

The high standing, both in the military and private character of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, must command a full attendance at the closing ball. It will be the most brilliant assembly ever got up in Woburn, and we wish we had our sword and epaulets, which we wore when we introduced Gen. Lafayette to his old soldiers, we should *feel* young; but we can only attend as a "private,"—that's the post of honor for retired officers. We assure our friends abroad that this contemplated assembly will be managed with credit and fully sustained by the high standing of the company.

☞ It will be noticed in another column that there is to be a Social Gathering at the Town Hall, Burlington, on Tuesday evening next, and the mere announcement that the Ladies have charge of it is a better recommendation than any we can give. We have no doubt the attendance will be large, and we can assure all who go that they will have a good time and help a good cause.

☞ We found a large pile of papers and periodicals on our table when we returned home. Our friends must excuse us if we pass any without due notice, as we cannot note all of them; we have no room to spare. The absence of an editor is "the good time coming" for the boys to throw into "pi" the contents of his "sanctum"—we found ours almost "nowhere."

☞ We found the following sign in our late travels; it was over a log house store door in North Carolina:—HOLE SAIL AND RETALE GROCERYS."

☞ The preparations for war in Europe are progressing on a large scale—still, hopes of peace are held out by many. All looks dark for the future.

☞ We call attention to the auction sale of stable stock, belonging to Mr. Hart.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[Editorial Correspondence.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 2, 1854.

My last letter left me at Greenville, on the Pamlico River, in North Carolina, a town of some considerable trade, and a point for shipment of naval stores for market. A very excellent plank road begins here, running 37 miles to Wilson, on the great Southern Railroad, from Washington to Charleston, S. C.

We took a two horse stage and passed over this road in five hours, through the heart of the State of North Carolina. We passed many large and well built mansions, on plantations of hundreds and some of thousands of acres of land under cultivation, mostly corn. The houses of the planters are generally situated on rising ground, surrounded by large trees, and at short distances are seen numerous small huts for their slaves. North Carolina has some of the best and most valuable plantations to be found in the Southern States.

The great staples of this State are naval stores, corn and cotton. The collecting of turpentine is made an extensive business. For miles along this plank road I found large pine trees tapped for turpentine, the bark cut out in a small square near the base of the tree, where the turpentine runs out and forms a white solid lump on this square, then melts and runs down into a cup cut out at the bottom, then dipped out into barrels. The appearance of these cut trees, which cover, on many plantations, hundreds of acres, is a singular sight to a stranger. I saw at Wilson many thousand barrels of naval stores ready for market. A very large business is springing up in this town, and I discovered many evident indications of improvements in this turpentine State.

I took the railroad here for Weldon, thirty miles over a good road, arriving to tea. This town is rapidly improving, from its central position and being the junction of three railroads. It is situated on the Roanake river, with a water power unequalled by any in the Union. Lowell, Lawrence, and all our great New England water powers are not to be compared to what might be made at Weldon, but it all lies idle. Situated in the heart of a cotton-growing country, with the materials for manufacture at their doors, a healthy section of upland with labor cheap, and many of the comforts of life easily obtained,—with all these to stir up enterprise and ambition, this water power remains as nature made it.

The ensuing morning, before the break of day, I mounted a freight car and passed over the Sea Shore and Roanoke Railroad, eighty miles to Norfolk, in Virginia. This railroad is the best I have seen in this Southern country; it brings a vast amount of produce to Portsmouth, its terminus, opposite Norfolk, a rival city of the latter in commerce.

Passing up the James River, I again visited the tobacco cities of Petersburgh and Richmond, and on the muddy waters of the Potomac we took a last view of Mount Vernon, and arrived at Washington about two o'clock. in the morning, cold and stormy, the snow very deep. I soon found good quarters at Willard's, after a hard dispute with a hackman, who wanted me to pay one dollar for a short ride, but he found me not quite so green as many of the travellers at Washington.

The great snow storm filled up the main streets in Washington, and I have never seen such an utter disregard for all police regulations as appeared in this great city. The side walks were left encumbered with snow, and no one cared whether it was cleared off or remained. Pennsylvania avenue was a deplorable looking spot, and the city in its police regulations is a disgrace upon the nation.

I had but little time at the Capital. The Nebraska bill and Dr. Gardner's trial were the most prominent subjects of discussion. The French Spoliation bill has taken a favorable turn with a fair prospect of its passage, if not killed by the over-exertions of a set of lobby men, who had better have remained at home. It is truly disgusting to see these lubbers, following in the track of members, in many cases really abusive. These men do great harm, and in my opinion this gross mismanagement has been one great cause of the former defeat of this just claim. Bribery and rank corruption stalks about the streets of Washington in broad day. Witness Dr. Gardner's trial.

I shall take my departure in the morning for home, fully impressed with the wonderful power and resources of this great nation, moving onward with gigantic strides to its destined mission, gathering within itself all the arts and sciences, knowledge and population, which must place it, ere long, in the foremost ranks of nations.

G. M. F.

MR. EDITOR:—Many of your readers, I doubt not, were greatly interested in the statement which your Journal of last week contains—that "the daguerreotype saloon by the common is to be purchased and elegantly fitted up for a Lyceum Hall." This, now, is Public Spirit, upon which the ancient town may well be congratulated. It is just the thing, and now we can be sure the good days of true progress have at last arrived. The moment the announcement met my eye, a few of the many great advantages of this movement crowded upon my mind. Let me mention one or two:—

1. That Saloon will be high and airy—These are two essential traits of a really *good* Hall. How fortunate that these wants should have so soon been met!

2. It is easy of access—In fact I think it will suit everybody! The difficulty with a public building, often, is that it is not next to every man's door. This can be, for by just attaching a pair of oxen every lecture night, it can be drawn around and pick up every ticket-holder and his wife and daughters.

3. It can be well lighted—Are they really going to put in Gas? That will be charming.

4. It will be delightfully decorated—I suppose the holder of the saloon sells his pictures that adorn the walls, with it. As it is for a public object, he will not refuse. Now pictures are a very great addition in such a place. I have all along been hoping that when Woburn *did* move in the matter of a Hall, she would move with becoming energy and taste. How pleasant it will be, on entering a few moments before a lecture commences, to turn from side to side and feast the eye on the "counterfeit presentment' of some of our distinguished citizens, or upon some admirable landscape.

5. This purchase will come within the means which our town is willing to expend on this work of public utility and convenience. —Its cost will not be more than the town is able to pay, do you think it will, good Mr. Editor? This town is rated, is it not, at between two and three millions? I think—in fact I feel quite sure that the money can be raised.

Our citizens will take pleasure in denying themselves some common purchases for the sake of forwarding this great enterprise. The funds can be raised to buy the saloon—nothing less—and certainly nothing more!

A FELLOW-CITIZEN.

[For the Journal.]

HASTY DASHES.—No. 5.

DUPLICITY. There are very many phrases in common use, such as "a wolf in sheep's clothing," "a snake in the grass," which show that there is very much dissimulation in the world. There are few who do not recollect, on a review of their lives, the ungracious conflict with the double-faced pretender. The dissembler comes with a smile and word of approbation,—an hour after he retires to betray his friend and dishonor his name. There are traits in the character of an enemy, oftentimes, which we admire,—his decision, his frankness, his adhesion to a simple, direct course; but the character of the hypocrite, what can we do but despise it? We think we are dealing with unvarying integrity and dove-like innocence, when in fact we are exposing ourselves to the covert assaults of the serpent.

There is a class in community whose highest enjoyment seems to consist in ascertaining so far as possible, by expressions of sympathy and approval, the opinions and desires of those whom they meet, which they straightway communicate to those who entertain opinions of an opposite character, in all cases assimilating themselves to their associates. They practice gross deception, which sometimes brings much injury to those who unsuspectingly express sentiments in their presence which are not intended for the world. How mean is such a disposition! How worthless—not merely so—how scandalous to society, are the lives of those who are constantly dissembling that they may draw out the sentiments of others. How much better if they would establish their own opinions and adhere to them, though they may encounter opposition. Duplicity is a characteristic that deserves hearty condemnation, for it is totally devoid of honor.

B. P.

In this mammon-worshipping age, it is rare to find a man place his usefulness to the public, before his interest. During a late visit to the "City of Spindles," we were presented by a professional friend to the celebrated chemist, Dr. J. C. Ayer, whose name is now perhaps more familiar than any other at the bedside of sickness in this country Knowing the unprecedented popularity of his medicines, and the immense sale of them, we had expected to find him a millionaire, and rolling in wealth. But no, we found him in his laboratory, busy with his laborers, among his crucibles, alembics, and retorts—giving his best personal care to the compounds, on the virtues of which, thousands hang for health. We learned, that notwithstanding his vast business, and its prompt returns in cash, the Doctor is not rich. The reason assigned is, that the material is costly, and he persists in making his preparations so expensively, that the net profit is small. [Amer. Farmer, Phil.

☞ The Atlas Mutual Insurance Co., of New York, give a very flattering exhibit of their condition, declaring a dividend of 20 per cent from profits of last year. We notice this with much pleasure, as our late townsman, E. Russell Hinkley, Esq., is the vice-president of this company. The property is under judicious management.

☞ A lad named Thomas died at Charlestown, on Tuesday, from the effects of a bite of a mad dog. The dog, it appears, was a vagrant cur, who had been worried by some inhuman boys, and in consequence become mad. The city authorities have resolved upon the destruction of all unlicensed and unmuzzled dogs.

Had Lord Byron lived at the present day, he would never have written the line,

"Thine incomparable oil, Macassar;"

for he would certainly have tried Spalding's matchless Rosemary and Castor Oil, which must have flung Rowland's mixture into the shade.

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

☞ Many publications have been received during our absence, and we find it impossible to notice them for this paper,—they will receive attention next week.

☞ The city council of Worcester have voted to purchase eighteen acres of land, at the west part of the city, for a public common, They have also under consideration the erection of a market house.

☞ Where's *that* bell?

Proceedings of Town Meeting At Woburn, March 6, 1854.

On Article 1, choose W. T. Grammar, Moderator.

On Art. 2, choose Nathan Wyman, Town Clerk.

Joshua E. Littlefield, John Johnson, Jr. and John Flanders, Selectmen.

Gawin R. Gage, Treasurer.

Moses J. Pearson, Horace Collamore, Lemuel G. Richardson, Assessors.

James W. Brooks, John D. Tidd, Oliver H Parker, Overseers of the Poor and Surveyors of Highways.

Thomas J. Porter, Edward Simonds, Albert Thompson, Isaac S. Alley, Constables.

S. G. Neville, Sexton.

John J. Ladd, Joseph Ricker, Leonard Cox, Jr., School Committee.

The Taxes were let out at auction to Edward Simonds at 1½ per cent on a dollar, and he was chosen Collector.

Moses J. Pearsons, Horace Collamore, John D. Tidd, Auditors.

Timothy W. Mead, John S. Layman, Alfred Eaton, Alvan Hosmer, John Leath, Gillman Lewis, John B. Beers, James P. Knight, John Weston, Joseph Steel, John R. Lane, Ebenezer Cummings, Field Drivers.

John B. Harris, Augustus Plympton, Samuel P. Parker, Fence Viewers.

Charles Wade, Pound Keeper.

Peter C. Shed, John F. Parker, Cyrus Thompson, Edward E. Thompson, James W. Brooks, Sherman Converse, William Beers, Amos Shattuck, Oliver H. Parker, Joseph R. Kendall, Edwin Taylor, Albert Thompson, Wm. S. Bennett, Josiah Parker, Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark.

Horace Conn, Sealer of Leather.

Edward E. Cooper, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

George Holden, Clerk of the Market.

Art. 3d and 4th. Auditor's Report and Report of the Overseers of the Poor. Accepted. (Printed.)

Art. 5th and 6th. Reports of the Selectmen and Chief Engineer. Accepted. (Will be printed next week.)

Art. 7. Raised fifteen hundred dollars for highways, to be appropriated under the direction of the Overseers of the Poor.

Art. 8. Raised thirty-three hundred dollars for Schools, every school of fifty scholars or less to have one hundred dollars, and one hundred dollars for every fifty additional scholars, and the remainder of the money to be divided among the scholars in town between the ages of 5 and 15.

Art. 9. Raised sixty-five hundred dollars for incidental expenses.

Art. 10. *Voted to save the birds and catch the fish.*

Art. 11. *Voted to shut up cattle.*

Art. 12. The Prudential School Committee instructed to contract with and employ teachers.

Art. 13 and 14, dismissed.

Art. 15. Voted to continue the present School District System.

Art. 16. On the Report of the Selectmen in relation to Franklin Avenue.—Voted to refer to the Selectmen.

Art. 17. Voted that the Selectmen be requested to appoint an Agent to sell Liquors, and that they prosecute all violations of the Maine Law.

Art. 18. Voted that the Selectmen be instructed to collect pay for the grass taken from the Common.

Art. 19. On Compensation of the Fire Companies. Voted to choose a committee of three to investigate the matter and report at April meeting, Choose Parker L. Converse, Jacob Webster, Harris Johnson.

Art. 20. Voted that the Selectmen be directed to repair the walks upon the Common, and re-set trees thereon when needed, and that fifty dollars be appropriated for that object.

Art. 21. On lighting the streets. Dismissed.

Art. 22. Voted that the examining committee be requested to withhold certificates of qualifications from all persons applying for school who have not knowledge of the elementary principles of physiology and hygiene, and competent to give instructions in the same. Also to have these branches taught in our Grammar and High School.

W.

At Winchester.

The Town Meeting on Monday passed off with the usual interest on such occasions, and yet with no particular excitement, except on the article relating to "Restraining Dogs," which called forth a considerable amount of mirth The whole subject was finally indefinitely postponed.

Some very appropriate resolutions in opposition to the "Nebraska question" were passed unanimously.

The sum of $2,800 was raised for the support of schools.

Thirty-five hundred dollars, for the support of the Poor and for incidental expenses.

Six hundred dollars for highways and bridges.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

David Youngman, Town Clerk.

Charles Kimball, N. A. Richardson, Oliver R. Clark, Selectmen.

Alvin Taylor, Treasurer.

Cyrus Bancroft, Joshua Lane, O. J. Locke, Assessors.

Charles Kimball, William Ingalls, Charles P. Curtis, Jr., Stephen A. Holt, John A. Bolles, School Committee.

N. A. Richardson, Collector.

Seth Johnson, Jr., A. D. Hunt, Constables.

J. R. Bayley, H. Parker, S. H. Cutter, Auditors.

Y.

At Stoneham

The following Officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Charles Brown, Town Clerk.

Luther Hill, Samuel Cloon, Daniel L. Sprague, Selectmen.

Luther Hill, Samuel Cloon, Ira Gerry, Assessors.

John Hill, Town Treasurer

Henry Jewell, Geo. W. Dike, David H. Burnham, School Committee.

B. F. Richardson, Lyman Dike, Reuben Lock, Jr., Overseers of the Poor.

Wm. Messer, John Fraiser, Wm. H. Pierce, Constables.

David K. Wardwell, Varnum Sweetser, Henry Jewell, Auditors.

B.

At Burlington

Was chosen,—Rev. S. Sewell, for Town Clerk.

Wm. Winn, Jr., George Gleason, Nathan Blanchard, Selectmen.

Humphrey Prescott, Treasurer.

Other officers will be chosen at April meeting.

☞ Examination at Warren Academy takes place on Tuesday, 14th inst

☞ The city government of Roxbury are taking measures for the establishment of a police court in that city.

"Phœnix" wishes to know if a first class hotel is to be erected in Woburn the coming season. Not being able to answer him, we refer him to "the man who knows."

The planet Mars is becoming conspicuous, rising in the east, as the sun sets, and shining with a deep red light.

The annual income of the Pope of Rome is $1,500,000. About one million of priests are subject to its control.

Men of genius are often dull and inert in society; as the blazing meteor, when it descends to earth, is only a stone.

☞ The Providence and Worcester Railroad Company have voted to give all clergyman residing on the line of the road *free passes* for the ensuing year.

Special Notices.

OLIO!

The subscriber will give another of his Grand Declamation Olio's at the Town Hall, on Thursday evening next, 16th inst. weather permitting. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance, and will endeavor to make the evening's performances worthy of patronage. Suitable prizes will be awarded on the occasion. Tickets 12½ cents; to be had at E. E. Cooper's, at this office, or at the door.

FRANK TAYLOR.

NOTICE.

The Ladies of Burlington will hold a Levee, at the Town Hall, in that place, on Tuesday evening, March 14th. The proceeds of the occasion will be appropriated to the repairing of their house of worship. The citizens of Woburn and vicinity are most respectfully invited to be present. Admittance 25 cents.

Burlington, March 9 1854

NEW STORE
—AND—
NEW GOODS.

LUKE GOVE would respectfully inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity, that he has opened a fresh stock of

FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS,

in the store lately occupied by Hiram Flagg, FOWLE'S BLOCK, Main street, and he will sell every article of his stock at the lowest prices for cash.

☞ Please call and look before you buy.

March 11 tf.

Woburn High School.

THE next Examination of the Woburn High School will take place at the Grammar School room, in District No. 1, on Friday, the 24th inst. The examination will continue from 8½ A. M., till 11½; and from 1½ P. M. till 4½. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the Superintending Committee.
J. P. CONVERSE Chairman.

Woburn, March 3d. 1854. 2w

Horses, Carriages, Furniture, &c., at Auction.

WILL be sold at Auction on Wednesday, the 15th inst., at one o'clock P. M., at the residence of the subscriber, near Collamore & Richardson's mill, the following articles of personal property, viz:—2 Horses, 1 covered Wagon, 3 Harnesses. 2 Horse-sleds, 1 Hay Cutter, Stone Drag and Chains, together with 1 Sofa, Chairs, tables, and other articles of Household Furniture.

If the above day be stormy, the sale will take place on the next fair day, Sunday excepted.

JOSEPH P. RICHARDSON.
WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.

Woburn, March 15th, 1854. 1t

AUCTION.
EXTENSIVE SALE
—OF—
Valuable Stable Stock AT WOBURN CENTRE.

ON TUESDAY. March 21st, will be sold to the highest bidder, without the least reserve, all that extensive and very valuable Stable Property owned by D. D. HART, at Woburn Centre. This is known to be one of the most valuable and best appointed Establishments of the kind in the New England States, comprising many of the best bred horses to be found on the American Continent, in the selection of which the best judgment in the country has been called into requisition; no pains or expense has been spared to procure an unrivalled stock, severally adapted to the service of the Family, the Road and the Turf. Several of these horses have highly distinguished themselves for their attainments of speed, showing themselves qualified, in an eminent degree, to contend for the honors of the Track. The Carriages are from the best builders, nearly new, and are constructed after the most approved fashions The entire property is in the finest condition, consisting in part as follows, viz:

33 Horses, single and matched, 2 Hacks, 1 eight passenger Omnibus, 10 superior lance wood Chaises 6 top Buggies, 2 open do., 4 Carryalls, 31 Sleighs 1 horse Cart, 1 Hay Wagon, 1 Express Wagon, 34 prime single Harnesses, 5 pair double do., 15 ladies and gents' Riding Saddles and Bridles, 48 fancy and common Fur Robes, together with a large lot of Shawls Bells, Whips, Blankets, Stable Furniture, &c., &c.

☞ The attention of gentlemen wishing to purchase is respectfully solicited to the above, as an opportunity affording equal inducements has rarely or never occurred.

☞ Sale to commence punctually at 9 o'clock, A. M. Conditions favorable and made known at sale.

P. S If stormy on the above day the sale will be postponed, of which due notice will be given.

WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.

Woburn Centre, March 8, 1854. 2t

Clocks! Clocks!! Clocks!!!

JUST received a lot of Brass Clocks, which will be sold low and warranted. Prices from $1 to $10.

W. M. WESTON.

School District Warrant.

To JOHN D. TIDD, Clerk of School District No. 1, in Woburn, GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the legal voters in School District No. 1, to meet at the Town Hall, on Tuesday, the fourteenth inst., at 7 o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the District for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose a Prudential Committee for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To choose an Auditing Committee and any other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To hear and act upon the report of the Auditors.

Art. 6. To hear and act upon the report of the Prudential Committee.

Art. 7. To see what sum or sums of money the District will raise the ensuing year, and in what manner appropriate the same, or do anything relating thereto.

Art. 8. To see if the District will authorize the Prudential Committee to draw from the Town Treasury, the ensuing year, the money belonging to the District.

Art. 9. To see if the District will adopt any measures to raise the present low standard of discipline and instruction in the *Grammar School*, by instructing the Committee in reference to the employment of a kind and competent teacher, or do anything in relation to the same.

Art. 10. To hear and act upon the report of the committee chosen in May last to consider upon the necessity of providing another school-room.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies of it in the usual manner, seven days at least, before the time of said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to me, at the time and place aforementioned.

Given under my hand this second day of March, *Anno Domini* 1854.

WALTER WYMAN, *Prudential Committee.*

A true copy, attest,
JOHN D. TIDD, *Clerk.*

ALL kinds of Gold, Silver, and Steel Bowed Spectacles. New Glasses fitted to old Bows.

W. M. WESTON.

Warren Academy.

THE Summer Term of this institution will commence Wednesday, April 5th, under the charge of John J. Ladd, A. B., Principal.

Miss Mary A. Cole, Teacher of painting and drawing of every style; also embroidery. She will also instruct in speaking French, Spanish, Italian.

Mrs. John J. Ladd will instruct in vocal and instrumental music with the piano forte.

A large class of young men has been formed during the past term, for the purpose of qualifying themselves for accountants and book keepers. Any wishing to pursue this branch will be accommodated.

Those wishing it will find ample accommodations for board at the Academy boarding house, on reasonable terms.

B. CUTTER, Secretary for the board of Trustees.

Woburn, March 1st. 5w

REAL ESTATE —AT— AUCTION.

WILL be offered at Auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., on the premises, a new story and a half House and a woodshed, with about 1-3 of an acre of land, with a good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated in Woburn, on Central Square, on the westerly side of a new street, running out of Lowell street, and is about 3-4 of a mile from Woburn Centre, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, and the Branch Railroad Depot, and affords a good opportunity to any person to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn.

ALSO, at the same time and place, will be sold some articles of personal property, viz: 1 Secretary, chairs, crockery, glass and tin ware, 1 cooking stove, 1 parlor do., together with several other articles not mentioned.

By order of MRS. RHODA McINTIRE.
WM. WINN JR., Auct'r.

Woburn, Feb. 27th, 1854. 4w

For Sale or to Let,

THREE valuable Cornopeans. Also, Violins, Guitars, and Flutes.

W. M. WESTON.

SPRING STYLE HATS.

A GOOD assortment of HATS and CAPS, of the latest patterns, for sale by

J. W. HAMMOND,
Fowle's Block.

Extra Fine Polish

FOR cleaning and polishing Silver Spoons and all kinds of Silver and Brittania Ware—12½ cents per box.

W. M. WESTON.

HOUSE AND LAND FOR SALE.

A House, containing 8 rooms, with sheds adjoining. Also, 1 large blacksmith's shop, with about 16 acres of land, consisting of tillage and pasturing, and a very nice orchard, situated in the westerly side of Woburn on Cambridge street. Said place will be sold on the most reasonable terms, on application to the subscriber near the premises.

JONAS HALE.

N. B. If not sold by the first of April, the house and shop will be to let. mar4—tf

Administrator's Sale OF Real Estate.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, the 24th day of March next, at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, all the Real Estate of the late Elkanah E. Foss, deceased, situated on Lexington street, about half a mile from the Centre Village of Woburn, being the late residence of said Foss.

Said real estate consists of about three quarters of an acre of land, with house and good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated on the south side of Lexington street, also about one-third acre of land, suitable for a house lot, with a shop thereon, situated on the north side of Lexington street, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, post office, and branch railroad depot, and affords a favorable opportunity for any gentleman to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn. Said estate is encumbered by a mortgage, and will be sold subject to such claim.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold a few articles of personal property, viz, a lot of lumber, wheelbarrow, farming tools, &c. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

MOSES J. PERSONS, Administrator.
WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Feb. 22 1854.

NOTICE.

STEPHEN CUTTER would give notice that he has taken an office at his former residence on Walnut st, where he will give his attention to the healing of the sick Terms, $1,00. References may be had by calling on him.

Woburn, Feb 23, 1854. tf

To Tanners and Curriers.

JUST received, three cases of prime thick Boots, manufactured of Shaved Leather, by J. Fletcher.

At Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, Chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.

N. S. CATE, Agent.

East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.

WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 6, Wade's Block, Woburn.
Feb. 11. 3w

DAVIS & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Office No. 8, Traveller Buildings,
(Entrance No. 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.)
BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L. R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG,
feb 11 3w Woburn Centre

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. CHARLES BOND

Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 49 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.

STEPHEN CUTTER.
Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Sales, &c., &c.

NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.

☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.

O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.
jan 21 tf

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

CYRUS THOMPSON, } Commissioners.
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }
Woburn. Jan. 13, 1854. tf

MENZIES & WHITE.

—DEALERS IN—

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS

371 Washington Street,

Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON

G MENZIES H. H WHITE

One Price....All Representations Warrantea

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HUNTING & EATON, EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 North Market Street,

Herman Hunting, } BOSTON
Marcus Eaton, }

☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., Proprietors
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.

General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choices Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tt

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by J. S. ELLIS
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ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's. Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.

N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.

☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.

A. F. UNION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

METROPOLITAN FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,

Capital, $200,000,

OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,

INSURES

Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........J. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eber Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*
E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.

G. M. FOWLE.
Woburn, September 17, 1853.

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E. E Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Incorporated in 1849.

CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't*, W. T. Hooker. *Secretary*, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,

CAPITAL

$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies

June 23. tf JAMES M RANDALL.

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will [illegible] with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.
Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

WOBURN JOURNAL FOR SALE.

THE subscriber is compelled, by the state of his health, to relinquish the Printing Business, and now offers for sale THE ENTIRE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL, consisting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT OF TYPE and other materials, necessary to conduct a large Country Printing Office. To an enterprising man, a fair opportunity is offered in a sound and increasing business. All further information will be given by applying at the office of the Journal. G. W. FOWLE.

Woburn, Jan. 21, 1854.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.

At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.
jan 21.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.

At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.

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IMPORTANT TO GENTLEMEN.

GENTLEMEN of Woburn and vicinity, who are in want of Clothing, (a good article made to order,) are invited to call and examine my goods. They will always find a large assortment to select from.

The plan which has been adopted at this establishment works well; which is not to charge *cash customers* 25 per cent. to offset bad debts; but those who pay *cash*, have the benefit of cash.

I find many who like the plan. In a word you will be dealt with as if I expect to see you again. Try me once and see if these things be so.

ROOMS, 96 Washington St., Boston.
tly30 1y GEO. N. NICHOLS.

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

OR NO CHARGE. The best Dye in the market, for sale by the subscriber, and applied on his premises, to ladies and gentlemen, so as to give perfect satisfaction, or no charge will be made,—at the Comb and Perfumery Store of A. S. JORDAN, 191 Washington st., six doors North of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. A. BOUTELLE.

Woburn, Dec 28, 1853.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.

☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.

ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.
Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853, tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.

HIRAM FLAGG.

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by THOS. SLEATER & CO., Foster's Wharf, Boston.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.

Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.

BAYLEY & CO
Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

CALROW & CO., FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Hanover, corner of Elm St.,

OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

HAVE received their fall supply of FALL GOODS for Gentlemen's wear. GARMENTS of every description made in a SUPERIOR STYLE, "TO FIT," and at prices to suit the most economical.

—ALSO—

BOYS' CLOTHING,

The largest and best assortment in the city, all other establishments combined not excepted. This branch of our business is conducted in a separate building, entrance directly opposite the American House. Ladies will find good accommodations and polite attendance.

Good genteel well-made Clothing at the lowest prices. No deviation.

Garments made to order for Boys from 4 to 16 years.

oct. 29 13w

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH ROUGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church, BOSTON
tf

ALL Wool Thibets, at WM. WOODBERRY'S.
sept. 24

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for sale at WM. WOODBERRY'S.
sept. 10

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by

A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO., 42 & 44 Federal street

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Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by L. THOMPSON

Oct. 8.

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.

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Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at J. W. HAMMOND'S.

nov 5

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats, &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by L. THOMPSON, Jr.

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS. CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of

SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.

Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at

Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, Jr.

BY J. PHILBRICK.

Book and Stationery Auction Rooms, 62 Hanover street, under the American House.

J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical, Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books, for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a spendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c. jy30istem.

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster, for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back, Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW E COOPER Druggist. apr2

FLETCHER BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY, Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

JOHN MILLER, NORTH WOBURN, MASS., BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN

WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.

All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to apr30.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the Runners!—brighten your Skates!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!

The Largest

BOYS' CLOTHING!

Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!

OAK HALL HOUSE!!!

Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!

NO. 34 NORTH STREET,
(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)
BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.

CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M. 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.

Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.

† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.

Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.

The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M.—carry Freight.

Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston

*On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P M

W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.

apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by
EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.
may 14 tf

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S., PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.,

ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for the wholesale and retail.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

Daily	
Traveller.	New York Herald
Journal	Tribune.
Times.	Commonwealth
Herald.	Rambler.
Commonwealth.	Banner.
	Museum.
Weekly	Magazines.
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journa	Graham's.
Olive Banch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
Drawing Room Companion.	Living Age.

Agent for all the Newspapers and Magazines in the United States. G. W. FOWLE

MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)

MANUFACTURERS OF

BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA, AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,

Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.

Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares

D. B. MOREY, } Dealers are invited to
R. H. OBER } call and examine.
oct. 18. 1 year

A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.

The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of

L. THOMPSON, Jr.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by THOMAS SLEATER & CO., Foster Wharf, Boston.

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at W. WOODBERRY'S.
march 19.

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT

J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spaulding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,

1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
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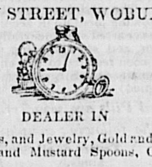

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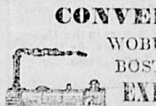

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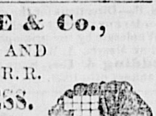

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Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

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THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.

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☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of Millinery Goods ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.

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Bay State and Waterloo Shawls! CHANDLER & CO.

Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO

Long and Square Shawls.

In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,

To which they invite the attention of purchasers.

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A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

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☞ Constantly on hand a large assortment of English, French and American Confectionery, at wholesale and retail, at the lowest cash prices.

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MARK ALLEN,

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Rooms at Woburn Machine Shop,
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☞ Orders for various styles of Penholders, respectfully solicited. July 30 tf

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All orders left at this OFFICE, will be promptly attended to. oct 18

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PAINTER AND GLAZIER.

Paper Hanging, Whitewashing and Coloring done in the neatest manner. Also, Graining and Marbling.

Sashes and Blinds, of every description, furnished.

Paints, Oil and Glass, of the best quality.

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Medicines delivered at all hours of the day and night Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared. Fresh Foreign Leeches constantly on hand mar 27 tf

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Watches and clocks cleaned and repaired. Also, Jewelry, Musical Instruments, Parasols, Fans, &c., repaired.

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POETRY.

THE FARMER'S SONG.

[Composed by J. G. Saxe, Esq., and sung by "The Amphions," at the late Sheep Shearing Festival, in Sudbury, Vermont.]

Have you ever heard of the farmers,
Who live among the hills,
Where every man's a sovereign,
And owns the land he tills?
Where all the girls are beautiful!
And all the boys are strong!
Oh! 'tis my delight of a summer's night,
To sing the Farmer's Song.

'Tis here the tall and manly
"Green Mountain" boys are seen,
(So called because the Mountains,
And not the Boys, are green.)
They'll always fight to win the right,
Or to resist the wrong!
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

And here the best and fairest
Of Yankee girls are caught,
With every grace and form of face,
That e'er a lover sought—
And every art to win his heart,
And hold it long and strong:
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

'Tis here the "Morgan" horses,
And "Black Hawks" steeds abound;
For grace and beauty, strength and speed,
Their equals can't be found;
They always "go it" fleetly,
They always "come it" strong!
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

And here the true Merinoes.
Of pure imported stock,
Are often seen to range the green,
In many a noble flock!
Their forms are large and beautiful,
Their wool is fine and long:
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

You've often heard of the wonders,
Of ancient Rome and Greece,
Of Jason's expedition,
To get the golden fleece—
Alonzo's got the fleece away;
And brought the sheep along!
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

Oh! here's success to Bingham!
And all true shepherd men—
May heaven keep himself and sheep,
'Till shearing comes again—
And then may we be there to see,
And help the sport along:
Oh! 'tis my delight, &c.

And now a health to the shearers,
And many joyous years—
Whose hands with will and ready skill,
Propel the busy shears—
With hearts sincere and conscience clear,
Our voices loud and strong,
Oh! we'll take delight from morn to night,
To sing the shearer's song.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

An English writer observes that two great points in feeding cattle are, regularity and a particular care of the weaker individuals.—On this last account there ought to be plenty of trough or rack room, that too many may not feed together; in which very common case the weaker are not only trampled down by the stronger, but they are worried and become cowed and spiritless; than which there cannot be a more unfavorable state for thrift; besides they are compelled to shift with the worst of fodder. This domineering spirit is so remarkably prevalent among horned cattle, that the writer has a hundred times observed the master beasts running from crib to crib, and absolutely neglecting their own provender for the sake of driving the inferior from theirs. This is, much oftener than is suspected, the chief reason of that difference in a lot of beasts after a winter's keep. It is likewise, he says, a very common and a very shameful sight, in a dairy of cows to see them gored and wounded in a dozen places, merely from the inattention of the owner and neglect to coupling the horns of those that butt. The weaker animals should be kept apart; and in crib feeding in the yard, it is a good method to tie up the master beast at their meals.

Dr. Dean, says, there should be more yards than one to the barn where divers sorts of cattle are kept. The sheep should have a yard by themselves, at least; and the young stock another, that they may be wholly confined to such fodder as the farmer can afford them. [Scientific American.

Robert Bryson, Esq., of Cumberland county about eight miles from Harrisburg, Pa., has been experimenting for the last ten years, to make exhausted tan bark available and valuable manure. Besides his magnificent farm, he likewise carries on the tanning business. Finally after a great deal of expense, and many failures, he has succeeded in discovering a method of producing from the tan an efficient manure. This is his plan:

He has his tan wheeled out on a level piece of ground, and leveled off two or three feet thick. Over this he spreads a layer of two or three inches of lime, and over that again a strata of tan—then a layer of lime, and so on. He lets the beds so prepared remain for two years; at the end of that time he finds a bed of manure, the effects of which upon land can hardly be surpassed in the richness of its product, and the durable fertility which it imparts.

We once had a horse that had a bad cold, and coughed so severely that he could be heard half a mile. All sorts of remedies were proposed—enough, we should think, to kill any good horse outright. These remedies were all rejected, (although some of them might have proved useful,) and the following course pursued. The horse was in the first place very carefully and moderately used so as never to produce perspiration—he was carefully blanketed when the weather was cold, [it was about mid-autumn,] or when he was in the least degree heated—he was kept constantly on green and succulent food, clover, roots, &c., and was supplied with a plenty of the best water at all times. In a few weeks he was perfectly well [Agricultural Exchange.

Health for the Afflicted!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor Holloway,

Sir,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disorderd stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper. I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor Holloway,

Dear Sir—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, Dropsy, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

(Signed) EDWARD ROWLEY.

A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor Holloway

Dear Sir,—I have much pleasure in handing to you a testimonial of the efficacy of your Medicines. A person in this neighbourhood with whom I am well acquainted was afflicted for a long time with violent spasmodic pains in the stomach and liver, arising from frequent colds, smells of paint, and the effects of a stooping position which he was obliged to assume in his buisness. The spasms were of an alarming character, and frequently left him in a weak and debilitated condition. At length he heard of the salutary effects of your invluable Pills, and was induced to give them a trial. The first dose gave him considerable relief, and by following them up in accordance with your directions, they have acted so wonderfully in cleansing the liver and stomach, and strengthening the digestive organs that he has been restored to the enjoyment of good health. I remain, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

(Signed) WM. BOSTOCK.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague,	Fevers of all kinds,	Scrofula, or King's Evil,
Asthma,	Fits,	Sore Throats,
Billous Complaints,	Gout,	Stone & Gravel,
Blotches on the Skin,	Head-ache,	Secondary Symptom
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Constipation of the Bowels,	Jaundice,	Ulcers,
Consumption,	Liver Complaint,	Venereal Affections,
Debility,	Lumbago,	Worms of all kinds,
Dropsy,	Piles,	Weakness, from whatever cause,
Dysentery,	Rheumatism,	&c., &c.,
Erysipelas,	Retention of Urine,	
Female Irregularities,		

Sold at the Establishment of Professor Holloway, 244 Strand, (near Temple Bar,) London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States, in Pots and Boxes, at 37½ cts. 87 and $1.50 cts., each. There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N.B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Box.

Wholesale by the principal Drug houses in the Union, and by Messrs. A. B. & D. Sands, New York, by Messrs. **Redding & Co.**, State Street, Boston, Mass.

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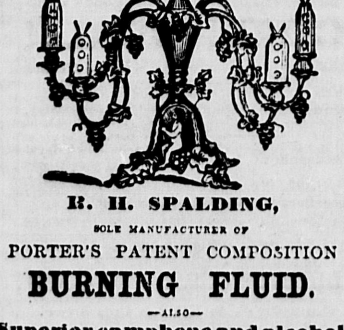

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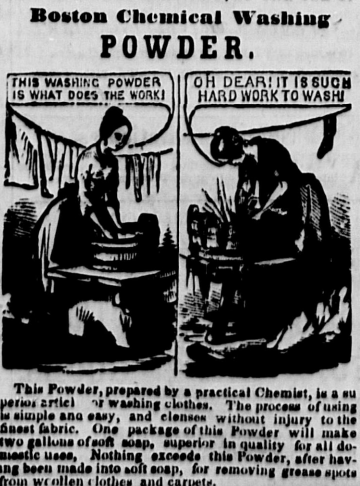

This Powder, prepared by a practical Chemist, is a superior article for washing clothes. The process of using is simple and easy, and clenses without injury to the finest fabric. One package of this Powder will make two gallons of soft soap, superior in quality for all domestic uses, Nothing exceeds this Powder, after having been made into soft soap, for removing grease spots from woollen clothes and carpets.

By using this preparation, much time, labor and expense is saved, and thousands of families in New England give it the preference over all other Saponaceous compounds.

Directions on each package of the Powder. Sold wholesale by BECK & CO., No. 120 Washington St., Boston, and by G. W. FOWLE, Woburn

Dec. 11th, 1852. tf

AYER'S PILLS.

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A

FAMILY PHYSIC.

There has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical *pill*, but not easy to make the best of all *pills*—one which should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These *pills* produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the complaints which have been speedily cured by them, we may mention Liver Complaint, in its various forms of Jaundice, Indigestion, Languor and Loss of Appetite, Listlessness, Irritability, Bilious Headache, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, Pain in the Side and Loins; for, in truth, all these are but the consequence of diseased action in the liver. As an aperient, they afford prompt and sure relief in Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds with soreness of the body, Ulcers and impurity of the blood; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence an occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousand cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to employ when in need of a cathartic medicine.

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This remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. And not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, &c.; and for Children it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people its quality is kept up to the best that it ever has been, and that the genuine article is sold by—

E. E. COOPER, Woburn.

Sick Head Ache.

SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE

SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.

It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (one of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

Boston Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. Eastman & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

For sale by E. E. COOPER, agent for Woburn, Nos. 5 and 6, Wade's buildings.

Jan. 1854 tf

AMERICAN AND ENGLISH DRY GOODS!

The subscribers have just received a large stock of house-keeping goods, and staple articles, which they offer for sale at fair and honest prices. Their stock consists in part of

Sheeting and Shirtings,	Hosery all kinds,
White and Colored Cambrics,	Ribbands all varieties,
Towelling, all qualities,	Shawls,
Table Linen,	Pins, Needles, Tapes, &c.
Table Covers,	Broadcloths, Tweeds,
Bed Tickings,	Cassimeres & Doeskins,

Blankets and Counterpanes, Goods for Summer Clothing, with a large variety of small articles for the sewing table and nursery. We are confident of offering to our country customers just such goods as they desire to purchase, and at fair prices, and are pleased at all times to show our goods. LIBBY & BROTHERS,

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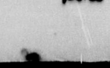

Dr. CLOUGH, Surgeon Dentist, has taken rooms in the first building south of Tremont Temple, and nearly opposite the Tremont house, where he will be happy to see his friends and all those who may need the service of a Dentist. jan. 28 tf

Never Failing Remedy!

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

A Cripple Sets Aside his Crutches after Ten Years Suffering.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Thompson, Chemist, Liverpool, dated August 20th, 1852.

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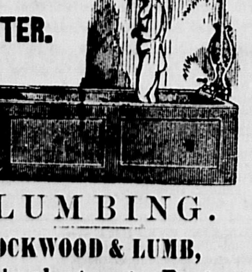

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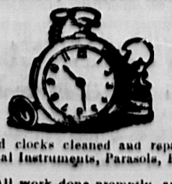

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Beneath thy cap, I'm counting now,
And, as I look, methinks I see
Another wrinkle on thy brow;
'Tis faint, I know, but still I trace
The line that tells of care;
And as I gaze on that dear face,
I know that years have written there.
I look upon thee, and I long
To keep thee ever by—
I cannot, will not, pause to think,
Mother, that *thou* canst die. H. A. KING.

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McConnell, thinking not of danger, rode carelessly along the path, which the scouts were watching, until he had come within view of the deer, when he was fired on by the whole party and his horse was killed. While laboring to extricate himself from the dying animal, he was seized by his enemies, overpowered, and borne off a prisoner. His captors, however, seemed a merry, good-natured set of fellows, and permitted him to accompany them unbound—and what was rather extraordinary, allowed him to retain his gun and hunting accoutrements. He accompanied them with great apparent cheerfulness thro' the day, and displayed his dexterity by shooting deer for the use of the company, until they began to regard him with great partiality. Having traveled with him in this manner for several days, they at length reached the bank of the Ohio river.

Heretofore the Indians had taken the precaution to bind him at night, although not very securely; but on that evening he remonstrated with them on the subject, and complained so loudly of the pain which the cord gave him, that they merely wrapped the buffalo tug about his wrists, and having tied it in an easy knot and then attached the extremities of the rope to their bodies, in order to prevent his moving without awakening them, they very composedly went to sleep, leaving the prisoner to follow their example when he pleased.

McConnell determined to effect his escape that night if possible, as on the following morning they would cross the river, which would render it more difficult. He therefore lay quietly until midnight, anxiously ruminating on the best means of effecting his object. Accidentally casting his eyes in the direction of his feet, they fell upon the glittering blade of a knife, which had escaped from its sheath, and was now lying near the feet of one of the Indians.

To reach it with his hands, without disturbing the two Indians to whom he was fastened, was impossible, and it was very hazardous to attempt to draw it up with his feet. This however he attempted. With much difficulty he grasped the blade between his toes, aud after repeated and long continued efforts, succeeded at length in bringing it within the reach of his hands. To cut the cord was but the work of a moment, and gradually extricating his person, he walked to the fire and sat down. He felt that his work was but half done. That if he should attempt to return home without destroying his enemies, he would be pursued and probably overtaken, when his fate would be certain. On the other hand, it seemed almost impossible for a single individual to succeed in a conflict with five Indians,even though unarmed and asleep. He could not hope to deal a blow with a knife so silently and fatally as to destroy each of his enemies in turn without awakening the rest. Their slumbers were proverbially light and restless—and if he failed with a single one, he must inevitably be overpowered by the survivors. The knife was therefore out of the question. After anxious reflection, he formed his plan.

The guns of the Indians were stacked near the fire. Their knives and tomahawks were sheathed by their side. The latter he dare not touch for fear of arousing their owners, but the former he carefully removed with the exception of two and hid them in the woods, where he knew the Indians were still sleeping, perfectly ignorant of the fate preparing for them, and taking one in each hand and resting the muzzles on a log, within six feet of his victims, and having taken deliberate aim at the head of one and the heart of another, he pulled both triggers at the same moment. Both shots were fatal.

At the report of the guns, the others sprang to their feet, glancing wildly about them. McConnell who had run to the spot where the other rifles were hid, hastily seized one of them and fired at two of his enemies who happened to be standing in a line with each other. The nearest fell dead, being shot thro' the body; the second fell also, bellowing loudly, but soon recovering, limped off as fast as possible. The fifth, the only one that remained unhurt, darted off like a deer, with a yell that announced equal terror and astonishment. McConnell, not wishing to fight any more such battles, selected his own rifle from the stock, and made the best of his way to Lexington, where he arrived in two days.

A short time afterwards, Mrs. Dunlap, of Fayette, who had been several months a prisoner among the Indians on Mad river, made her escape and returned to Lexington. She reported that the survivor returned to his tribe with a lamentable tale. He related that they had a fine young hunter at Lexington, and had brought him as far as the Ohio; that while encamped on the bank of the river, a large party of white men had fallen upon them in the night, and killed his companions, together with the poor defenceless prisoner, who lay bound hand and foot, unable either to escape or resist.

The Scientific American says:—Sawing heated iron and steel, is not known or thought of by blacksmiths; and when several forks or branches are to be formed from one stock, even if the branches are required to remain eventually nearly in contact and parallel with each other, the usual method is to split the end of the iron with an awkward kind of a chisel; thereby deforming the edge of each branch; on which account the branches must be bent asunder for the purpose of hammering, squaring and shaping the edes of each; then they are brought together as well as may be, usually retaining a rougness in form, if not a deficiency of size and strength, near the junction of the branches. Instead of this tedious process, the iron when heated may be put into a vice, and the ends may be readily slit with a suitable saw, which would save much labor in hammering and filing. A saw for this purpose should be made thicker at the edge than at the back, and with uniform teeth about one-twel th of an inch apart. The saw when used must be often dipped in water to prevent its becoming too much heated. There is also a method of sawing or cutting hardened steel, which is not so generally known as it should be. A circular piece of common thin iron plate, or sheet iron, being adjusted to a lathe, or by other means put into a violent rotaty motion, will readily cut off a file, a cutting tool, or tempered steel spring, without drawing or reducing the temper.

There is much mystery in the wonderful effect of this buz, and its cutting power is attributed to electricity. It answers a very convenient purpose, however, when the form of articles are required to be altered without affecting their temper. It furnishes a convenient method for cutting teeth to large saws, but objectionable on account of the newly cut surface being left so hard that they cannot be readily filed by a common file.

Connected with the subject of "mysterious effects," it may be stated that a bar of iron of almost any size, may be instantly sundered while hot by the simple application of a piece of common roll brimstone. A knowledge of this fact will be useful, when some piece of iron work is required to be severed, but which, as is sometimes the case, is so constructed and situated that no ordinary chisel or cutting tool can be brought to apply. Holes may be instantly perforated through bars or plates of heated iron, by the application of pointed pieces of brimstone. This phenomenon is curious, although it seldom affords much practical usility.

There is a gentleman in town who sports a breast-pin, which, we are credibly informed, cost him a thousand dollars, and the original price of the pin was fifteen hundred dollars. There is quite a little history connected with this pin. It was made in Madrid for a Spanish grandee; he went to Mexico, gambled, lost his money, then his valuable "bauble," the diamond pin The sharper who divested the Castilian of his diamond was a gentleman from New Orleans, who, having made his fortune, retired from the Mexican capital, was robbed and assassinated near Vera Cruz by the guerillas, the guerilla chief was taken and the diamond pin was found upon him; he was shot, and the pin sold to a gentleman doing business in Vera Cruz, and who afterwards set up the pin at a raffle; it was won by a steamboat captain, who sold it to a Cincinnatian for one thousand dollars. We believe the history to be authentic, and the pin is a beautiful and dangerous piece of jewelry; the present owner having had it stolen twice, once by a chambermaid, in New York, and once by a fellow who snatched it from his bosom, as he stood in the doorway of a concert room in this city. But the pin is still safe. [Cincinnati Union.

The finishing touch to a marriage ceremony, performed by an exquisite divine, was up to all modern refinements. When he had thrown the chain of hymen around the happy couple, he concluded by saying, "I now pronounce you husband and lady." The audience stuffed their handkerchiefs into their mouths, and got out of the room as quickly as possible to take breath.

We are oftentimes amused by the ludicrous sound and perversion of words when spoken by a man with a cold that affects the voice as connected with the nasal organ, commonly called a "cold in the head." An instance of this kind came under our notice a few days since, with most amusing effect. A man went into a store and asked the clerk the following:

"Where's Bulberry streed?"

"Bulberry street!" said the clerk, "don't know of a street by that name; better look in the directory."

The man with a cold looked in the directory, and running his finger down the M's, stopped at the words Mulberry street, and said—

"Why, there it is now; Bulberry streed."

The clerk answered that it looked like *Mulberry* street."

"Well, I *said* Bulberry streed."

"I know *you* said Bulberry streed—but *I* didn't," said the clerk.

"I leddent say Bulberry streed!" said the man with a cold, getting red in the face—"I said *Bulberry* streed."

"So you did—Bulberry streed."

"The man with the cold in his head indignantly left the store, saying something about a "clussed impledent pluppy."

This reminds us of the excessively amusing imitation we heard the defunct Henry J. Finn give at one of his unique entertainments, of an individual who was similarly and as uncomfortably situated. The man with the obstruction in the nasal department answered, on an inquiry being made relative to the state of his health, that "he ledent fleel velly well, as he had a tellable clold in his head."

"That is very unfortunate," answered his friend.

"Yes; I'll tell you loll about it," said the man with the snuffle. "You see my wife slent me dlown to glit glum pills and leedles, and—"

"Pins and needles," interrupted his friend.

"Well, I *said* pills and leedles, liddent I?"

"Yes, you said pills and leedles."

"No, I lidn't say pills and leedles, I said pills and leedles, as plail as I could speak! Dlam it all! I guess I low what I slaid" [N. Y. Notions.

The Baron Steuben, though never perfect master of our language, made very few mistakes in speaking, except designedly, such as for pleasantry or for wit. Dining at headquarters at New Windsor, New York, Mrs. Washington asked him what amusements he had now that peace was certain and the business of his profession less pressing?

"I read and play chess, my lady, said the Baron, "and yesterday I was invited to go a-fishing. It was understood to be a very fine amusement; I believe I sat in the boat two hours. It was very warm, but I caught two fish."

"Of what kind, Baron?"

"Indeed, my lady, I do not recollect perfectly; but one of them was a whale."

"A whale, Baron, in the North River?"

"Yes, upon my word, a very fine whale, as that gentleman informed me. Was it not a whale, Major?"

"An eel, Baron."

"I beg your pardon, my lady; I am very much mistaken if that gentleman did not call it a whale. But it is of little consequence; I shall abandon the trade, notwithstanding the fine amusement it affords."

A schooner, belonging "down East." left Holmes Hole just previous to the late storm, having on board no oil or candles, and little or no water, though the pilot, Mr. Joseph Claghorn of Holmes Hole, was informed that there was an abundance of "small stores" on board. During the night of the gale, when the vessel was in Boston Bay, the melancholy discovery was made that there wus no oil on board! The binnacle lamp was out, and the compass could not be seen. In this situation the pilot, though a most skilful man, could not shape his course, and to lay to would have been sure destruction, as the vessel would have drifted on to Cape Cod. In this dilemma, the captain's wife, notwithstanding the extraordinary fury of the storm, and the tossing to and fro of the vessel, found a cake of tallow in the cabin, and having procured some material for wicking, melted the tallow, and proceeded to make candles of about two and a half inches in length, and continued at this labor most of the night, supplying fresh candles when needed. By this timely and efficient aid, the pilot was enabled to shape his course for Boston harbor, where he arrived in safety. The captain of the vessel in question should be deprived of his command. He is evidently better adapted for a cook than a master of a vessel. [Vineyard Gazette.

The Montreal Freeman says that the most extensive wooding establishment on the line of railroads between that city and Boston, is probably in Braintree, Vt, where a gentleman from South Royalston has purchased a tract of woodland comprising some four or five thousand acres, and has now about one hundred men employed in cutting trees, drawing them to the top of a steep hill, there sawing them by machinery, and sliding them down a spout a quarter of a mile in length, to the railroad, where an immense pile of some thousands of cords of prepared wood may always be seen awaiting the railroad market.

A correspondent from Indiana sends the following, with appropriate avouchings of its truth:

"At the breaking of ground for commencement of the Lynchburg and Tennessee railroad, at Lynchburg, the Rev. J. E., by appointment, acted as chaplain on the occasion. At the time appointed for prayer, the chaplain raised his hands and said, "Let us pray." In an instant all hats were doffed, and the chaplain commenced, slowly and solemnly to read a very appropriate manuscript prayer, which he had previously prepared. During the reading of the prayer, an old negro man, who was engaged with his spade, was resting with one foot on the spade and his arms on the handle looking very intently on the chaplain's face. At the conclusion of the prayer, the old negro, straightening himself up, remarked audibly, "Well, I reckon dat's de fust time de Lord has ever been written to on de subject of railroads!"

The Paris Patrie of a late date has the following:—"At the last Tuilleries ball, the brilliant toilette of a stranger, with an incredible number of diamonds, attracted the attention of all present. In a moment the attention was changed to the most intense curiosity, when Louis Napoleon was observed to accost the lady and remain some moments in conversation. The enigma was soon solved. The lady was the widow of Mr. Aaron Burr, formerly Vice President of the United States, with whom Louis Napoleon was on terms of intimacy whilst in that country, and at the end of fifteen years he had recognized the widow of his old American friend." This probably alludes to Madame Jumel, the wealthy second wife of Col. Burr, who obtained a divorce from him, a few years previous to his decease. She owns a large landed estate on the Island of Malta. [Cincinnati Enquirer.

Robert Scott, Esq., of Woodford county, in Kentucky, who owns one of the splendid farms of that region, has a large pond of water upon his domain, by which he has half domesticated a flock of wild geese. He first procured eleven, and cropped their wings, which reclaimed them for a season. They migrate northward in the spring, and return in the fall with their full-fledged young. The flock now numbers two hundred and eighty, and it increases annually. [Louisville Democrat.

The Common Pleas Court, at Salem which has been in session for some time past, has now got so far through their business as to discharge the juries for this term. Several parties, previously convicted of violating the liquor law, have been sentenced, and several others were defaulted in their recognizance. In many of the convicted liquor cases, bills of exceptions have been filed and allowed, and the parties put under heavy bonds to prosecute their exceptions in the Supreme Court; in the meantime not to violate the law. The Court has adjourned to Monday, March 20, (for that day only,) when it is expected that all other convicted liquor sellers are to give the requisite bonds, or they will be sentenced.

The keeper of a cheap boarding house has come to the conclusion that the modern sausage is generally made of dog meat, and grounds his belief upon actual experiment. He fed his boarders upon sausages, exclusively, for a week, and before the end of that time every one of them began to *growl*.

According to Tait's Magazine, Elizabeth Squirrell, of Shottisham, England, who, some people profess to believe, abtained from food for more than twenty-five weeks, is still alive, though without the power of swallowing, her only nourishment being derived by means of the absorbent vessels of the mouth. She is described as being peculiarly sensible to magnetic influences, and during sleep is able to foresee all the changes to which she is subject in the history of her mysterious maladies!

A New York paper says that Messrs. Cadwell, Harris & Co., who in January last opened a large hog slaughtering establishment about three miles from Jersey City, recently advanced $50,000 to a pork speculator in Ohio, with which to buy hogs. The recipient of the money immediately disappeared, and had not been heard from at last accounts.

Alexander Morgan, a young man 19 years of age, was killed in Oswego on Tuesday afternoon, while engaged in coasting. The sled upon which he was descending a hill was going at the velocity of a mile a minute, when it came in contact with a cutter, and the young man's head was shattered by the force of the blow, as he was lying prone upon the sled.

A Nebraska Expedition has been organized in Chicago. Over one hundred have signed the roll, and others are expected to go. The expedition starts April 1st, under the leadership of Capt. Gibbs.

Courage and modesty are the most undoubted virtues, for they are of a kind that hypocrisy cannot imitate—they are also the property in common of expressing themselves both by the same hue.

WOBURN RECORDS.

BIRTHS CONTINUED.

Evans, Samuel s Andrew and Sarah, b Aug 9.
Gilmore, Mary d John and Mary, May 27.
Richardson, Enoch s Abel and Mary, Nov 17.
Tay, Sullivan s John and Susanna, Nov 2.
Fowle, Polly d Joseph and Caroline, Oct 12.
Kendall, Joanna d Jonathan and Joanna, May 9.
Simes, Mary d Samuel and Susanna, March 30.
Wyman, Sarah d Nathaniel and Sarah, Sept 18.
Simonds, Calvin s Calvin and Abigail, June 12.
Hay, George s John and Sarah, Sept 30.
Blanchard, David s David jr and Sarah, April 4.
Carter, Lucy d James and Lucy, Sept 29.
Cummings, Joseph s Ebenezer and Jemima, Dec 6.
Richardson, Wyman s Stephen and Martha, Feb 19.
Tidd, Phebe d Benjamin and Lucy, Oct 10.
Tay, Archelaus s Wm. 3d and Hannah, Feb 27.
Reed, Rhoda d Jonas and Rhoda, April 18.
Richardson, Benjamin s Eleazer and Catharine, Jan 10.
Flagg, John s John and Abigail, Oct 7.
Johnson, Luther s Abijah and Mary, Sept 12.
Winn, Mary d Samuel and Mehitable, June 15.
Johnson, Abigail d Reuben and Keria, Oct 10.
Lock, Lydia d Thomas Jr and Lydia, March 8.
Wyman, Lucy s Daniel and Lucy, June 18.
Richardson, James s Abel and Ann, July 7.
Young, Olive d William and Elizabeth, Feb 13.
Wyman, James s David and Lucy, Feb 9.
Cutler, James s Nathaniel and Elizabeth, Mar 25.
Lock, Josiah s Josiah and Elizabeth, Dec 23.

1780.

Baldwin, Loammi s Col Loammi and Mary, May 16.
Eaton, John s Jonathan and Lucy, Jan 25.
Symmes, Zacharlah s Samuel and Susanna, Jan 1.
Richardson, James s Joel and Susanna, July 26.
Richardson, Josiah s Josiah and Jerusha, May 8.
Bruce, Polly d Joseph and Mary, Sept 12.
Carter, Roger s Jonathan and Sybil, July 15.
Parker, Benjamin s Benjamin and Mehitable, Aug 26.
Wright, Samuel s Josiah and Lydia, Oct 27.
Walker, Moses Billings s Edward and Abigail, Dec 4.
Reed, George s Simon and Esther, Oct 11.
Carter, Jonas s Jonas and Phebe, June 15.
Convers, William s Josiah and Hephzabah, Sept 11.
Convers, Martha d Josiah and Martha, Oct 20.
Simonds, Esther d Hazeal and Mary, April 14.
Winn, Jonathan Bowers s Timothy and Mary Dec 6.
Simonds, Robert Douglass s Kezia Simonds, April 13.
Wyman, Mary d Zebadiah and Eunice, April 20.
Leath, Hephzibah d Elijah and Hepzibah, Dec 1.
Thompson, Charles s Abijah and Sarah, Oct 25.
Eames, Samuel s Jacob and Esther, Mar 4.
Brooks, William s Jonathan and Ruth, Nov 19.
Winn, Jerusha d Lt Joseph and Betty, Jan 25.
Carter, Elizabeth d William and Lydia, April 8.
Clough, John s Nathan and Sarah, Aug 17.
Skinner, Susanna d John and Susanna, Oct 8.
Alexander, Sarah d Giles and Sarah, March 17.
Miller, Nabby d Job and Sarah, Feb 18.
Brown, Hetty d Josiah and Judeth, April 6.
Wade, John s Ebenezer and Elizabeth, April 3.
Eames, John s John and Abigail, Feb 13.
Richardson, Elizabeth d Eleazer and Catharine, Dec 20.
Richardson, Surviah d Zebulun and Abigail, Aug 30.
Richardson, Samuel Tidd s Edward and Sarah, May 5.
Johnson, Surviah d Jotham and Eunice, July 2.
Reed, Olive d James and Olive, Feb 4.

1781.

Huffmaster, John s Andrew and Abigal, Aug 30.
Pool, Polly d Eleazer Flagg and Mary, Jan 28.
Symmes, Zachariah s Samuel and Susanna, Jan 2.
Reed, Ann d Ebenezer and Anna, Feb 28.
Bruce, John s John and Sarah, April 20.
Evans, Elizabeth d Andrew and Sarah, June 20.
Fowle, Joseph s Joseph and Carroline, June 18.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, MAR. 18, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dibs.
Travelling Agent—GEORGE THOMPSON.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Hermit.—We are really pleased to hear from our old friend, and we know many of our readers will be also. We shall find room next week.

Jotham.—This was received in our absence, and we did not discover it in time for notice. Jotham must have patience.

S. M. We have no knowledge of the occurrence you mention, and should not wish to open old wounds.

*** What has become of our Winchester correspondent? We can't let him off at present.

EDITORIAL.

LIQUOR LAW.

We give a few extracts from the decision of the Supreme Court, on the legality of the 14th section, which is pronounced unconstitutional, the remaining sections of the bill being solid. The opinion is an able one, and sustained by evidence which is strong, and shows conclusively the gap in the law, which we hope the Legislature will promptly close.

In the Supreme Court, Chief Justice Shaw delivered the unanimous opinion of the Court that the 14th section of the act passed in May 1852, relative to intoxicating liquors, was unconstitutional and void.

Theodore Fisher vs. *Patrick McGirr* et al.—This case comes before this Court on an appeal, from a judgment of the Court of Common Pleas, upon an agreed statement of facts, entered into by the parties. It was an action of tort, commenced in that court, in the nature of an action of trespass, for forcibly entering the plaintiff's dwelling house and carrying away a quantity of brandy and other spirituous liquors, with the barrels, demijohns, jugs and bottles in which it was contained.

The defendant justifies the entering of the plaintiff's dwelling-house under a search-warrant, committed to him for service, as a constable of Sandwich, a warrant issued by Lothrop Davis, Esq., a Justice of the Peace of the said county, the seizure and removal of said liquors, the return of the same, and the proceedings of the magistrate, amongst other things, ordering the destruction of said liquors, pursuant to the statute of 1852, c. 322, concerning the manufacture and sale of spirituous and intoxicating liquors, all which are referred to as part of the case.

Many exceptions were taken to the course of proceeding under the act, but the one which surpasses all others in importance, and which if well taken, supersedes all others, is, that all that part of the statute directing the seizure and confiscation of liquors kept or deposited for sale, is unconstitutional and void. We suppose the principle is now well understood, that where a statute has been passed by the Legislature, under all the forms and sanctions requisite to the making of law, but some part of which is not within the competency of legislative power, or repugnant to any provision of the constitution, such part thereof will be adjudged void and of no avail, while all other parts of the act, not obnoxious to the same objection, will be held valid and have the force of law. There is nothing inconsistent, therefore, in declaring any part of the same statute valid and another part void.

The court are not insensible to the great weight of responsibility devolving on them, when they are called to perform the delicate, but important duty of deliberating on the validity and constitutionality of an act of the legislature; and they would approach it with all the solicitude which its importance demands."

After giving the opinion of the court on the disputed points they say:

"It appears to us, therefore, that this act in terms warrants and requires unreasonable searching and seizures, and is therefore contrary to the Constitution.

The Bill of Rights declares, Art, I, that all men have certain natural, essential and inalienable rights, among others, that of acquiring, possessing and protecting property.

Art. X. Each individual has a right to be protected in his property by standing laws.

Art. XI. Every subject ought to find a certain remedy, by having recourse to the laws, &c., to obtain right and justice freely, &c.

Art. XII. No subject shall be held to answer for any offence, until the same is fully and plainly, substantially and formally described to him. He shall have a right to produce all proofs favorable to him, to meet the witnesses against him face to face, to be fully heard in his defence; and no subject shall be arrested or deprived of his property, liberty, or estate, but by the judgment of his peers or the law of the land.

These are homely and familiar maxims, scarcely requiring citation, and yet the Bill of Rights itself—Art. XVII—admonishes us that a frequent recurrence to them is absolutely necessary, to preserve the advantages of liberty and maintain a free government, and that the people have a right to require of their law givers and magistrates an exact and constant observance of them.

Supposing then, that it is competent for the Legislature, as one of the means of carrying into effect a law to prohibit the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors, to declare the keeping of such liquor for the purpose of sale, in any place, within any city or town in this Commonwealth unlawful, and declare the liquor thus kept, liable to seizure and forfeiture as *quasi* a nuisance, under a proper and well guarded system of regulations, the question is, whether the system of measures directed and authorized by the statute in question are so far inconsistent with the principles of justice, and the established maxims of jurisprudence intended for the security of public and private rights, and so repugnant to the provisions of the Bill of Rights and Constitution of this Commonwealth, that it was not within the power of the Legislature to give them the force of law, and must therefore be held unconstitutional and void, and the Court are all of opinion that they are."

Then comes the opinion as to the liability of the officer serving the warrant.

"This is an action of trespass *vi et arms* and the question is, whether it will lie against an officer, who merely acts under the direction of a warrant from a magistrate, and does not go beyond the line of his duty as marked out by his warrant.

This is certainly an important consideration inasmuch as it is for the interest of the community that subordinate and executive officers should, as far as possible, be protected in the full and fearless discharge of their duties, leaving all responsibility, for errors in judgment and irregularities of process, to rest upon others. But this principle must have some limit; it would be dangerous and injurious to the common rights of citizens, if one man under the mere color or semblance of legal process, could justify the arrest and imprisonment of the person, or the seizure and removal of property of another, without any responsibility. And we take the well settled line of distinction to be this, if the magistrate or tribunal from which the process issues has jurisdiction, and the process is apparently regular, the officer may safely follow and obey it, and justify himself under it. But if the magistrate has no jurisdiction, the process is not merely voidable but wholly void, the officer taking property under it has no authority and is therefore liable to an action of trespass. If the Court had jurisdiction, and the process is right on its face, though wrongly issued, the officer is justified. Lewis vs Palmer, 6 Wend. 367.

The principle is recognized in many cases in this Commonwealth, and is stated by Metcalf, by way of illustration in a very recent case. In case of imprisonment a jailor is not answerable, &c, unless he acts under the mandate of an inferior court, which has not jurisdiction of the cause, or by virtue of a warrant which, on its face, shows the magistrates want of jurisdiction. Folger vs. Hinckley, 5 Cush 263.

The law relied on for a justification being void and not voidable only, gave the magistrate no jurisdiction and no authority to issue a search warrant, the officer cannot justify the seizure under it, and therefore, an action lies against him for the taking.

☞ That large bell was raised to the belfry of the Baptist church last Saturday. It was a hard job and not accomplished till late in the evening. The novel sight of raising a bell (we mean a church bell) called together quite a large number of spectators. All was accomplished without any accident. The sound of our church bells will call together many who will listen to their melody with feelings of true devotion, and we hope no discordant sounds will ever interrupt the progress of that true Christian spirit, which should ever pervade the hearts of an enlightened community. The Sabbath bells of New England send forth a sound that is never forgotten by her sons and daughters, ever in distant lands—let them be held sacred at home.

☞ The examination at the Warren Academy last Tuesday, passed off to the entire satisfaction of a large number of visitors. The exercises were of high order. The departments in Geography, Latin and French languages were well sustained, and exhibited proof of perfect instruction. The drawing department, under Miss Cole, is a great addition to the Academy. The performances, generally, were excellent, and confer much credit on the principle, Mr. John J. Ladd.

We understand there is an increase of scholars the last term, and the Academy is in a very prosperous condition. There is not to be found a more beautiful and healthy spot for an Academy in the Union.

☞ The ice business on Horn Pond has become an established fact. Messrs. D. Draper & Son have made more additions to their ice houses—all of which are filled with the purest ice we have ever seen. This ice business is an advantage to Woburn. It leaves many a hard dollar in our merchants drawers, and employs a large number of hands.

☞ We are officially informed that the preparations for the last ball of the season to be given by the Woburn Phalanx on Wednesday evening, 22d inst., are very extensive and progressing rapidly. It is intended that this ball shall be long remembered as *the* ball of the season. Don't forget it.

At the town meeting in Andover last Monday, it was voted to divide the town according to the boundary line between the North and South Parishes. Affirmative 408, negative 102.

On Monday last, a fire broke out in a small wooden building on Lexington street, owned by Capt. Joseph Gardner, and occupied by an Irish family. The firemen were early on the spot and succeeded in subduing the flames, which again broke out that night and completed the destruction. Two young children, who were in the second story, were fortunately rescued. The family saved but little. A call on the humane.

Governor Washburn has appointed Thursday, the 6th of April, to be observed as a day of Fasting and Prayer by the people of this Commonwealth.

Report of the Selectmen of the Town of Woburn.

The Selectmen would respectfully submit the following:

The amount recommended by us to be raised last year for incidental expenses, town officers, and for the payment of town debts, was	$4,500 00
We have drawn orders for the above amounting to,	3,980 46
Leaving a balance of	$519 54
We have sold the last year the balance of the Caleb Richardson land for	$180 00
The town has now received from the sales of that land and wood on the same	3,178 44
The amount allowed Winchester for the same,	1,600 00
Leaving a profit of,	$1,578 44

The town at their last annual meeting referred the matter of paying the note due the Lowell Institute of Savings to the Selectmen. We accordingly hired of Miss Elizabeth K. Fulton, of Medford, five thousand and seven hundred dollars, (that being the sum she wished to let, if any,) for ten years at five per cent per annum, the interest payable annually.

The note due the Lowell Institution has been paid, note and interest, $5,131 25.

The town also at the meeting held April 4th on the article in relation to further compensation to Col. John Wade for land taken for Canal street, voted to refer the matter to the Selectmen, and they have paid him one hundred and fifty dollars, in full compensation for the same.

At the same meeting, on the article relating to the enlargement of the Armory of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, voted to refer the matter to the Selectmen. The Selectmen deeming it expedient that the Company should have more room, caused the petition between the room, formerly occupied by the Selectmen and the Armory, to be removed, thus making a room which is satisfactory to the Company. We have also hired rooms for the use of the Selectmen, in Wade's Building.

At the Town Meeting, held August 15th, it was voted that the Selectmen be instructed to purchase such a Safe as the town in *their* judgment may want. In accordance with the above vote, we purchased of Mr. John E. Wilder, a safe for Town Records, the cost of which was two hundred and ninety dollars.

The Selectmen and Engineers were also chosen a committee to purchase three new Fire Engines, and were also instructed to sell the old engines.

In accordance with the above vote, the committee purchased of Messrs Howard & Davis three fire engines of the first class, and all of one quality, and paid for them and the fixtures twenty-eight hundred and eighteen dollars twenty-five cents.

One of the old engines, No. 3, has been sold for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the others have not been disposed of.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Horace Conn,
Horace Collamore, } *Selectmen of Woburn.*
A. G. Carter,

Report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

In accordance with the requisition of the act of incorporation of the Fire Department of Woburn, I would submit the following report of the condition of said department for the consideration of the town.

The fire department has been called out at fires and alarms twenty times within the year ending March 1st.

The whole amount of loss by fire within that time, as near as can be ascertained, is	$4,355 00
May 6th, Charles Tidd & Co., Tannery, N. Woburn, fully insured,	255 00
June 30th, Wm. Tuffts barn, West Side, insured for 350 00, loss	800 00
Aug., Draper's Ice House near Rail Road, fully insured.	50 00
Sept. 2d, C. Cummings, composition shop, no insurance,	400 00
Sept. 14th, Abijah Thompson, carpenter's shop near depot, no ins.	250 00
Nov. 1, Lewis Shaw, tannery, Salem st., ins. for $2,300, loss	2,600 00

There are eight hundred feet of old hose and nine hundred feet of new. Hose distributed as follows:

No. 1 has 300 feet; No. 2, 260; No. 3, 240 of old hose and each has 300 feet of new hose, making in the whole department 1700 feet. There are three fire hooks, one at each engine house; the whole, together with the engines, are in good order and fit for use.

The whole number of engine men are 130. No. 1 has 43, No. 2, 38, and No. 3, 49, including officers.

The whole expense of the Fire Department for the year ending Feb. 1, 1853,	$3,976 27
As follows to altering and repairing engine houses,	48 92
Pay of engine men,	693 61
" stewards,	46 61
" for fuel,	9 81
" hauling engines,	19 74
" repairs and fixtures on engines,	117 58
" watchman,	6 51
" refreshments,	99 88
" engineers,	22 50
" new hose,	114 89
" three new engines,	2,818 28

The new engines are built alike and of the best materials and warranted in every respect, with reducing screws to fit the old hose, and a branch to play two streams, and I think three as good engines as there is in the State for service, and capable of throwing 250 gallons of water per minute each.

We sold one old engine, the poorest one, for $125; the other two now on hand we think are worth $250 each, which leaves the expense of the new engines, including the old one $2,193 25.

The whole of which is respectfully submitted.

Jacob Webster, *Chief Engineer.*

Correction and addition to the Report of Town Meeting.

On Art. 8, voted to raise twelve hundred dollars for a High School.

Art. 19. For Harris Johnson, read Horace Conn.

[For the Journal.]

STATISTICS OF MORTALITY

Within the limits of the Middlesex East Medical Association, for 1853.

At a meeting of the Middlesex East Medical Society, held on Wednesday evening of last week, some statistics were communicated, which will be of general interest to the community. The society, as has been heretofore stated, comprises the physicians in regular standing in the eight towns, Burlington, Melrose, Reading, South Reading, Stoneham, Wilmington, Winchester and Woburn.

The deaths for the past year (1853) have been, in

Burlington,	7;	population	509—	one in	72
Melrose,	31;	"	1190—	"	38
Reading,	46;	"	3044—	"	66
S. Reading,	45;	"	2157—	"	48
Stoneham,	49;	"	2043—	"	41
Wilmington	19;	"	880—	"	41
Winchester,	35;	"	1320—	"	37
Woburn,	91;	"	3788—	"	41

Total deaths, 323; total population, 14,931; average deaths, one in 46 of the whole population. The census of 1850 is adapted for all the towns. Of the deaths, 69 were from consumption, near one quarter of the whole, and 1 in 217 of the population. The next most fatal disease was lung fever, of which 23 died. September was the most fatal of the months, more consumptives died then. January had the least mortality. Scarlet fever, dysentery, Cholera-infantum and typhoid fever were all prevalent, but not very malignant or fatal.

A. Chapin.

Winchester, March 13, 1854.

☞ The large sale of stable property on the 21st will afford a good opportunity for persons wishing prime horses, carriages and harnesses, to supply themselves. The public sale of such superior stock is rare, and, we have no doubt, but this fact will call together a large number of purchasers. Mr. Hart has kept his horses in the best manner, and selected them with care and discretion, and, no doubt, they will be a safe purchase. We regret his selling out, as we have had many a good ride from his stable.

☞ The Olio.—On account of the meeting of several societies and the rather inclement appearance of the heavens on Thursday evening last, the attendance at the Olio was rather slim. The declaimers of the various pieces, however, are deserving of much credit, and the performances gave entire satisfaction. Master Robert M. Dennett, aged thirteen, bore off the palm, a beautiful gold ring. One week from Tuesday evening next, the enterprising conductor of these Olios will give another treat to the public.

To the Herb Rosemary. Henry Kirke White addressing this herb thus writes—

"Sweet-scented flower, who'rt wont to bloom
In January's frost severe,
And o'er the wintry desert drear,
To waft thy sweet perfume—
Come! thou shalt be my minstrel now."

Doubtless the poet was aware of the many virtues of this herb, but the discovery of one rare quality was reserved for later times. Combined with Castor Oil, it forms the best Hair Wash ever known; and Mr. Spalding has so chemically united them, that the mixture is unparalleled for elegance and utility. Try it.

Sold by G. W. Fowle, Woburn.

We call the attention of our patrons to the advertisement of Messrs. W. P. Tenny & Co. Their wareroom, over the Boston & Maine Depot, covers an area of nearly one-half acre, and probably the largest and best of the kind to be found in this country. The most of their samples are exhibited on one floor, thereby rendering it easy to examine their stock and make selections. It is really worth a visit to Boston to see this magnificent display of this desirable comfort of life.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

School Report—We shall look over this report and make some extract. We have not had time to read it.

Poem on Webster, by Prairie Bird—The little poem was received in our absence. We recognize our old correspondent as the author, and we commend it to our readers. The author should be encouraged, as she is a native of our town.—sold by herself.

Christian Parlor Magazine for March—An excellent number of this popular magazine, calculated to instil into the young mind all that is worthy of encouragement.

Ladies Christian Annual, for March—The editor of this magazine deserves encouragement. Its pages are filled with choice reading. The annual is deserving a place on every centre table.

Horticulturalist, for March.—We cannot speak too highly of this work. It is one of the best publications in the country for the farmer and horticulturalist. This number is a rich one.

Gleason's Pictorial for this week is a very rich one. The President's Levee is well done and looks very much like the Friday evening we promenaded on the rich carpet in the east room. Gleason is ahead of all.

☞ We have a small *pile* yet unnoticed. We shall take them up soon.

☞ We overlooked Mr. Gove's new, fancy and staple dry goods store last week; we are sure, however, that our citizens did not. Mr. Gove has a large and elegant assortment; his store is fitted up in superior order, and we hope he will receive his share of patronage.

☞ Those figs from J. S. Ellis & Co., were very fine. Those who do not believe it had better go buy some.

DIED.

"And what's a life? the flourishing array
Of the proud summer meadow, which to day
Wears her green plush, and is tomorrow hay."

In this town, March 8, Mrs. Susannah Ash, aged 95 years and 9 months.

13th, Mrs. Mary Converse, aged 71 years 6 months.

In West Cambridge, March 16, Mr. Walter J. Frost, 28 yrs, 2 mos, son of Walter Frost of this town.

In Georgetown, Mass., March 13, John L. Poor, formerly of Woburn, aged 27 years and three months.

Special Notices.

NOTICE.

An adjourned meeting of District No. 1 will be held at the Town Hall, Monday evening next, at 7 o'clock, at which time business of vital importance to all who have the interests of our schools at heart is to come before the meeting.

NOTICE.

The Tea Party advertised for Tuesday evening, 15th inst., and which took place on that evening, gave general satisfaction. The proceedings were orderly and harmonious; the social intercourse was highly enjoyed; and the net proceeds of the occasion, to be applied to the painting of the Meeting House, amounted to upwards of $80. The Committee of Arrangements, on behalf of the inhabitants of this place, take this method of returning their thanks to their friends in Woburn and Stoneham for their attendance and aid in the music; and especially to G. W. Fowle and lady for printed notices and various articles given; and to the Messrs. Kimball and Mr. Ladd for their very acceptable services in the singing, cheerfully rendered gratis.

WM. WINN, Jr.,
In behalf of the Committee.

Burlington, March 15th, 1854.

SOCIAL GATHERING.

The Pastor of the Stoneham Congregational Church would return his grateful acknowledgements to the numerous friends who, on the evening of March 9, notwithstanding the unfavorableness of the weather and traveling, visited him and his family at the Parsonage; thus contributing largely, by generous gifts and especially by *kindly sympathies*, to his "Sunny Side" experiences in the work of the ministry. One of the chief attractions of the evening was the singing of several original hymns by a choir under the direction of Mr Rufus Pierce.

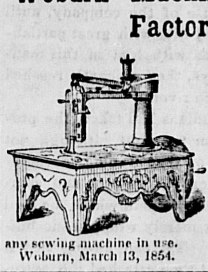
"A sunny spot was that
Upon life's weary way,
To cheer us with its gladsomeness
For many, many a day."

Stoneham, March, 1854.

NOTICE.

The Working Men's Association will meet on Tuesday evening next, instead of Monday, the regular meeting night. Per Order G. W. KIMBALL, Clerk.

Woburn Machine Sewing Factory.



THE subscriber, having taken the building, corner of Ockley Court and Main street, is prepared to do all kinds of Machine Sewing, on cloth or leather to all who may favor him with their patronage. He would say that his work is done on the Dorcas Machine, and cannot be surpassed for neatness or strength by any sewing machine in use. M. ALLEN.
Woburn, March 13, 1854. tf

FOR SALE.

A GOOD second-hand PIANO. Terms easy—by J. W. HAMMOND.
March 14, 1854. tf

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, being unable to give his attention to the penholder business, owing to other arrangements, will offer for sale the stock, machinery, and good will of his manufactory, to a cash customer.
M. ALLEN.
Woburn, March 13th, 1854. tf

Southern Dried Fruit.

6000 lbs superior Southern Dried Apples.
2000 " " Peaches.
for sale by THOS. SLEATER & Co., Fosters' wharf.
Mch 17, 1854—tf

Saddles and Harnesses.

THE subscriber invites the attention of the public to his large assortment of **SADDLES**, comprising every variety of Gentlemen's, both **Plain** and **Shafto.** Ladies, Misses and Boys do., of various styles.
Also, **Mexican** and **Columbia** Saddles, easy articles for invalids.
Riding Bridles of every description.
Chaise, Buggy, Carryall and **Express Harnesses.**
Also, HORSE DRESSES, both summer and winter.
The above mentioned articles are of his own manufacture, and purchasers may rely upon obtaining a good article at a fair price.
Also, constantly on hand, **Carriage** and **Entry MATS, Fly Nets, Brushes, Whips, Chamois, Leathers, &c., &c.**
Military Horse Equipments to Let.
☞ All orders promptly executed.
JOSEPH S. READ,
No. 26 Sudbury street, Boston,
between Portland st. and Haymarket Square.
Boston, March 18, 1854. 3m

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
— OF —
REAL ESTATE.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Saturday, the 15th day of April next, at 4 o'clock P. M., on the premises, all the right, title, and interest which Marshall Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, had, at the time of his decease, in and to the following described real estate, viz:—About two acres of land situated on Salem street, near the residence of Mr. Luke Tidd, in said Woburn; and also about one acre of land adjoining the northeasterly corner of the above lot.
Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale.
For further particulars apply to
JOSHUA P. CONVERSE, *Administrator*, or
WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.
Woburn, March 15th, 1854. 5t

NEW STORE
— AND —
NEW GOODS.

LUKE GOVE would respectfully inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity, that he has opened a fresh stock of

FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS,

in the store lately occupied by Hiram Flagg, FOWLE'S BLOCK, Main street, and he will sell every article of his stock at the lowest prices for cash.
☞ Please call and look before you buy.
March 11 tf.

NOTICE.

STEPHEN CUTTER would give notice that he has taken an office at his former residence on Walnut st, where he will give his attention to the healing of the sick. Terms, $1,00. References may be had by calling on him.
Woburn, Feb 23, 1854. tf

CARPETINGS!

WM. P. TENNY & CO.
RAILROAD HALL,
Haymarket Square, Boston,
Importers of
ENGLISH CARPETINGS,
of the following descriptions, viz:
Superior and Medium Velvet Pile,
" " Brussels,
" " Tapestry Brussels,
" " Kidderminster,
Floor Oil Cloths, Rugs, Mats, &c.
We have in store a great variety of choice patterns for Spring, also, American carpetings, Bigelow Brussels, Lowell 3 ply and Ingrains, and almost every description to be found in the market, at the lowest price.
Boston, March 18, 1854. tf

AUCTION.

EXTENSIVE SALE
—OF—
Valuable Stable Stock
AT WOBURN CENTRE.

ON TUESDAY, March 21st, will be sold to the highest bidder, without the least reserve, all that extensive and very valuable Stable Property owned by D. D. HART, at Woburn Centre. This is known to be one of the most valuable and best appointed Establishments of the kind in the New England States, comprising many of the best bred horses to be found on the American Continent, in the selection of which the best judgment in the country has been called into requisition; no pains or expense has been spared to procure an unrivalled stock, severally adapted to the service of the Family, the Road, and the Turf. Several of these horses have highly distinguished themselves for their attainments of speed, showing themselves qualified, in an eminent degree, to contend for the honors of the Track. The Carriages are from the best builders, nearly new, and are constructed after the most approved fashions. The entire property is in the finest condition, consisting in part as follows, viz:
33 Horses, single and matched, 2 Hacks, 1 eight passenger Omnibus, 10 superior lance wood Chaises, 6 top Buggies, 2 open do., 4 Carryalls, 31 Sleighs 1 horse Cart, 1 Hay Wagon, 1 Express Wagon, 34 prime single Harnesses, 5 pair double do., 15 ladies and gents' Riding Saddles and Bridles, 48 fancy and common Fur Robes, together with a large lot of Shawls Bells, Whips, Blankets, Stable Furniture, &c., &c.
☞ The attention of gentlemen wishing to purchase is respectfully solicited to the above, as an opportunity affording equal inducements has rarely or never occurred.
☞ Sale to commence punctually at 9 o'clock, A. M. Conditions favorable and made known at sale.
P. S. If stormy on the above day the sale will be postponed, of which due notice will be given.
WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.
Woburn Centre, March 8, 1854. 2t

Woburn High School.

THE next Examination of the Woburn High School will take place at the Grammar School room, in District No. 1, on Friday, the 24th inst. The examination will continue from 8½ A. M., till 11½; and from 1½ P. M. till 4½. The public are respectfully invited to attend.
By order of the Superintending Committee.
J. P. CONVERSE, Chairman.
Woburn, March 3d, 1854. 2w

Clocks! Clocks!! Clocks!!!

JUST received a lot of Brass Clocks, which will be sold low and warranted. Prices from $1 to $10.
W. M. WESTON.

Warren Academy.

THE Summer Term of this institution will commence Wednesday, April 5th, under the charge of John J. Ladd, A. B., Principal.
Miss Mary A. Cole, Teacher of painting and drawing of every style; also embroidery. She will also instruct in speaking French, Spanish, Italian.
Mrs. John J. Ladd will instruct in vocal and instrumental music with the piano forte.
A large class of young men has been formed during the past term, for the purpose of qualifying themselves for accountants and book-keepers. Any wishing to pursue this branch will be accommodated.
Those wishing it will find ample accommodations for board at the Academy boarding house, on reasonable terms.
B. CUTTER, Secretary for the board of Trustees.
Woburn, March 1st. 5w

ALL kinds of Gold, Silver, and Steel Bowed Spectacles. New Glasses fitted to old Bows.
W. M. WESTON.

REAL ESTATE
—AT—
AUCTION.

WILL be offered at Auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., on the premises, a new story and a half House and a woodshed, with about 1-3 of an acre of land, with a good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated in Woburn, on Central Square, on the westerly side of a new street, running out of Lowell street, and is about 3-4 of a mile from Woburn Centre, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, and the Branch Railroad Depot, and affords a good opportunity to any person to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn.
ALSO, at the same time and place, will be sold some articles of personal property, viz: 1 Secretary, chairs, crockery, glass and tin ware, 1 cooking stove, 1 parlor do., together with several other articles not mentioned.
By order of MRS. RHODA McINTIRE.
WM. WINN JR., Auct'r.
Woburn, Feb. 27th, 1854. 4w

Administrator's Sale
OF
Real Estate.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, the 24th day of March next, at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, all the Real Estate of the late Elkanah E. Foss, deceased, situated on Lexington street, about half a mile from the Centre Village of Woburn, being the late residence of said Foss.
Said real estate consists of about three-quarters of an acre of land, with house and good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated on the south side of Lexington street, also about one-third acre of land, suitable for a house lot, with a shop thereon, situated on the north side of Lexington street, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, post office, and branch railroad depot, and affords a favorable opportunity for any gentleman to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn. Said estate is encumbered by a mortgage, and will be sold subject to such claim.
Also, at the same time and place, will be sold a few articles of personal property, viz, a lot of lumber, wheelbarrow, farming tools, &c. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
MOSES J. PERSONS, Administrator.
Wm. Winn, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Feb. 22 1854.

For Sale or to Let,

THREE valuable Cornopeans. Also, Violins, Guitars, and Flutes.
W. M. WESTON.

SPRING STYLE HATS.

A GOOD assortment of **HATS** and **CAPS**, of the latest patterns, for sale by
J. W. HAMMOND,
Fowle's Block.

Extra Fine Polish

FOR cleaning and polishing Silver Spoons and all kinds of Silver and Brittania Ware—12½ cents per box.
W. M. WESTON.

HOUSE AND LAND FOR SALE.

A House, containing 8 rooms, with sheds adjoining. Also, 1 large blacksmith's shop, with about 16 acres of land, consisting of tillage and pasturing, and a very nice orchard, situated in the westerly side of Woburn on Cambridge street. Said place will be sold on the most reasonable terms, on application to the subscriber near the premises.
JONAS HALE.
N. B. If not sold by the first of April, the house and shop will be to let. mar4—tf

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

To Tanners and Curriers.

JUST received, three cases of prime thick Boots, manufactured of Shaved Leather, by J. Fletcher.
At Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.
Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.
WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.
Feb. 11. 3w

DAVIS & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS,

Office No. 8, Traveller Buildings,
(Entrance No. 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.)
BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.
Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L. R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.
☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.
For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG,
feb 11 3w Woburn Centre

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office. CHARLES BOND
Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 40 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S. B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.
STEPHEN CUTTER.
Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,

(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Sales, &c., &c.
NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.
☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.
O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.
jan 21 tf

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex, to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday, March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.
CYRUS THOMPSON, } *Commissioners.*
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }
Woburn, Jan. 13, 1854. tf

MENZIES & WHITE.

— DEALERS IN —
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS
371 Washington Street,
Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON
G MENZIES H. H WHITE
One Price....All Representations Warranted
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HUNTING & EATON, EATING HOUSE,

No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,
HERMAN HUNTING, } BOSTON
MARCUS EATON, }
☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.* ☜

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.
General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

HAMS! HAMS!!

1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's, Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states. For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Bookstore. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.
N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.
☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.
A. F. ONION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf.

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E.E Cooper's Drug Store, No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS. CASH STORE!

MR. B. F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.
Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.
☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.
ARTEMAS WOOD, JR., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.
Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853. tf

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 19. W. WOODBERRY'S.

METROPOLITAN

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,

(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,
Capital, $200,000,
OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,
INSURES
Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.
Samuel S. Lawrence,..........Lyman C. Thayer,
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Gilbert A. Smith,..........Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........E. B. Isham.
LUTHER MONSON, *President.*
E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.
G. M. FOWLE.
Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.
Incorporated in 1849.
CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.
President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't,* W. T. Hooker.
Secretary, Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher, Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell, Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD, M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and filed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle's Book store, where written forms for application can be had. G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,

SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,
CAPITAL
$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured. Is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.
E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies
June 23. tf JAMES M. RANDALL.

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.
LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.
Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.
HIRAM FLAGG.

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats. Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by
THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.
At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.
jan 21.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.
All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.
Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.
may28tf

IMPORTANT TO GENTLEMEN.

GENTLEMEN of Woburn and vicinity, who are in want of Clothing, (a good article made to order,) are invited to call and examine my goods. They will always find a large assortment to select from.

The plan which has been adopted at this establishment works well; which is not to charge *cash customers* 25 per cent. to offset bad debts; but those who pay *cash,* have the benefit of cash.

I find many who like the plan. In a word you will be dealt with as if I expect to see you again. Try me once and see if these things be true.
ROOMS, 96 Washington St., Boston.
jly30 1y GEO. N. NICHOLS.

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

OR NO CHARGE. The best Dye in the market, for sale by the subscriber, and applied on his premises, to ladies and gentlemen, so as to give perfect satisfaction, or no charge will be made,—at the Comb and Perfumery Store of A. S. JORDAN, 191 Washington st., six doors North of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings. J. A. BOUTELLE.
Woburn, Dec 28, 1853.

FLETCHER'S BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.
Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.
BAYLEY & CO
Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. tf

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.
Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.
N. S. CATE, Agent.
East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SON'S FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES, with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to 6 blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Luz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Hemisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent
TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery

Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.
For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
142 Washington Street,
Three doors North of the Old South Church,
tf BOSTON

ALL Wool Thibets, at
sept. 24 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

A LARGE assortment of Wollen Yarns, for saleat
sept. 10 WM. WOODBERRY'S.

CALF BOOTS.

GENTS' French Calf Boots; ANCHOR BRAND Smythe's make. For sale by
A. ROUNDY,
nov12 Cor. of Railroad and Main sts.

Paper Hangings.

350 DIFFERENT styles of Paper Hangings, most of which are entirely new to purchasers in Boston. Country dealers will find it for their interest to call and examine them. For sale by
JOHN N. BARBOUR & CO.,
9 istf 42 & 44 Federal street

Fletcher's Boots.

JUST received a limited supply of the justly celebrated Calcutta Boots, manufactured by J. Fletcher, at the Boot and Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.
nov 12

SHIRTS and Drawers, Hoisery and Gloves in great variety at W. WOODBURY'S.

Farmers' Boilers.

FARMERS' BOILERS, for steaming or boiling vegetables, scalding, &c., all sizes, for sale by
Oct. 8. L. THOMPSON

DR. SCALES, HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

HAS removed back to his former residence on Pleasant street, in the three story house, second door east from Court street, where he may be found ready to attend to his friends and patrons as heretofore.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

Keep Your Hands Warm.

A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
dec31. 2w

Cheap for Cash.

FURS, of the following varieties, viz:—Fitch, Mountain Martin, Imitation Fitch, and Coney, at
nov 5 J. W. HAMMOND'S.

Pocket Books and Portemonnaies.

A NEW lot of Pocket Books and Portemonnaies of all descriptions, for sale at the Woburn Book Store.

ALL Wool Thibets, Indiannas, Alpacas, Mohair, De Bages, all Wool De Laines, &c., for sale at
W. WOODBURY'S.

WOOL, Cotton and Wool, Cotton, Hemp, Straw and Painted Carpetings, Bockings, Mats &c., for sale low at W WOODBURY'S.

CURTAIN FIXTURES.---Gilt Cornices and Bands, Pearl and Enamelled Brass Curtain Pins.—Putnam's Self Adjusting Fixtures, for sale by
L. THOMPSON, JR

SCOTCH PLAID SHAWLS.

CHANDLER & CO.

Have received a handsome assortment of
SCOTCH LONG & SQUARE SHAWLS.
Of fine texture, and in new and beautiful patterns. For Sale at
Nos. 6 & 8 Summer Street, - - Boston.
nov5 tf

IRON SINKS.

CAST IRON SINKS for Dwelling Houses and Shops, very strong, and never leak, for sale at the Hardware Store of L. THOMPSON, JR.

BY J. PHILBRICK,

BOOK AND STATIONERY AUCTION ROOMS, 62 HANOVER STREET, UNDER THE AMERICAN HOUSE.

J. PHILBRICK, Dealer in Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books and Stationery, keeps constantly on hand a large stock of School, Classical, Medical, Theological, Mechanical, Philosophical and Poetical Works. Particular attention given to furnishing books, for Law, Theological, and Miscellaneous Libraries, at the very lowest rates. Country dealers are respectfully invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. Also—a spendid stock of Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Papers, Envelopes and Blank Books, &c. jy30istm.

SUPERIOR Machine Spread Strengthening Plaster for the cure of Weakness or Pain in the Breast, Side or Back. Rheumatism, Local Pains, Cough, Inflammation of the Lungs, Sciatica Lumbago, &c. manufactured and for sale by EDW E COOPER Druggist. apr2

JOHN MILLER,

NORTH WOBURN, MASS.,

BELL HANGER,

AND DEALER IN
WEATHER STRIPS, DOOR PLATES, &c.
All Orders left at Woburn Book Store, promptly attended to apr30.

FISH.

MACKEREL, Alewives, Codfish, in large or small quantities, for sale by
THOMAS SLEATER & CO.,
Foster Wharf, Boston.

BOOK BINDING.

NOW is the time to have your magazines bound, leaving them at the Woburn Book Store.

FUN FOR THE BOYS! WINTER AT HAND!

Get out your SLEDS!—polish the RUNNERS!—brighten your SKATES!—go to

OAK HALL ROTUNDA!
The Largest
BOYS' CLOTHING!
Establishment in the United States!!

Procure a good warm Coasting Coat!—Cap!—Muffler!—Gloves!—Mittens!—Skating Jacket!—or any other needful garment!—and be prepared for winter!

REMEMBER!!
OAK HALL HOUSE!!!
Is the place of universal resort for every variety and grade of BOYS' CLOTHING, on the Cheap One Price System!
NO. 34 NORTH STREET,
(OPPOSITE MERCHANTS' ROW,)
BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON & LOWELL RAILROAD.

COACH AND TICKET OFFICE, 50 Court street, Scollay's Building.
CHANGE OF HOURS. On and after MONDAY, Nov. 7, 1853, Passenger Trains will run as follows:—

Upper Railroad Trains.

Leave Boston for Lowell at 7.15, 7.45 and 9.30 A. M. 12 M., 2.30, 5.00 and 6 P. M.
Leave Lowell at 7.30, 8.10† and 10 A. M., 12.15†, 2, 4.30 and 5.30† P. M.
† Or on arrival of train from Nashua.

Woburn Branch Trains.

Leave Woburn Centre at 6.30, 7.45, and 9.30, A. M., 1.15, 4.30 and 7., P. M.
Leave Boston at 8.30, and 11.30, A. M., 3, 5.15, 6, 7, and 9,* P. M.
The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M., carry Freight.
Also, a Train leaves Winchester for Woburn Centre on the arrival of the 6 P. M. Train from Boston
* On Wednesdays this Train leaves at 11, P. M., and on Saturdays at 10, instead of 9, P. M.
W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community, on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE. It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture. It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for Balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.
Also, a good Livery Stable is attached to the premises.
apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

BED BUG POISON!

THIS preparation, besides constituting the only infallible exterminator of those troublesome and disgusting insects which infest beds and beadsteads, is likewise the most convenient of applications of all others that are used. Quicksilver, Brown Soap, Mercurial Ointment, &c., &c. It has only to be applied with a feather to expel them and to effectually prevent their return.
Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by
EDW. E. COOPER,
Apothecary, No. 5 and 6 Wade's buildings.
may 14 tf

FOWLER & WELLS & CO'S., PHRENOLOGICAL ROOMS,

142 Washington St., Boston.

PROFESSIONAL Examinations with charts or written description of character, are furnished at all hours, including directions as to suitable occupations, the selection of partners in business, and congenial companions for life, the correction of faults, etc., etc.,
ALSO, all books on Phrenology, Physiology, Water Cure, Phonography, Psycology and kindred subjects, for he wholesale and retail.

MOREY & OBER,

(Successors to Smith, Ober & Co.,)
MANUFACTURERS OF
BLOCK TIN AND BRITANNIA,
AND DEALERS IN GLASS & JAPPAN WARE,
Nos. 2 & 3 Haverill St., Boston.
Manufacture and have on hand at Wholesale and Retail, a full assortment of the above articles, or made to order at short notice. Also, Repair all kinds of the above wares
D. B. MOREY, } Dealers are invited to
R. H. OBER } call and examine.
oct. 18. 1 year

A New Article for Travellers.

A VALISE AND DRESSING CASE COMBINED.—The best article for compactness, convenience, and cheapness, now in the market. The above article is very desirable for all persons travelling, who would do well to call and examine, at A. S. JORDAN'S Comb, Toilet and Perfumery Store, 191 Washington street, six doors north of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

THE REPRESENTATIVE.

A Year's experience has decided that hitherto difficult question, Which is the best stove of the season? It is the Representative Air Tight Cooking Stove, unsurpassed for beauty of model, or convenience and economy of operation, with either wood or coal.
The above, together with a good assortment of Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks and Fancy Air Tights for wood or coal, may be seen at the Hardware Store of
L. THOMPSON, JR.,
tf Knight's Building, Main street.

ROSEWELL THOMPSON, WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER,

ELM STREET, NORTH WOBURN.

Watches and clocks cleaned and repaired. Also Jewelry, Musical Instruments, Parasols, Fans, &c., repaired.
☞ N. B. All work done promptly, and in the best possible manner. July 28. 6m

TURNING.

LARGE, Small, and Fancy Turning, done at the Woburn Pump Factory.
Also, the latest improved Wooden Pumps, made and set to order. my 29 tf JOHN ASH

WE ASSERT WITH CONFIDENCE AND KNOW THAT
J. RUSSELL SPALDING'S

ROSE MARY AND CASTOR OIL

IS decidedly the nicest and best toilet article in the world for the hair. The ablest chemists who have examined this oil, testify that as an agent for preserving the hair and promoting its growth, it surpasses any other article. When combined with Castor Oil, the latter having been freed from all greasiness and its peculiar odor, it exercises a specific effect on the capillary growth.—Mr. Spalding, after a long series of experiments, has succeeded in so blending these articles as to form a hair oil, for which all who desire to preserve a good head of hair until late in life, will be grateful.

THEREFORE, USE THEM IF YOU WISH,
1st—To beautify the hair.
2d—To curl the hair elegantly.
3d—To remove the dandruff effectually.
4th—To restore the hair to bald heads.
5th—To give to whiskers a beautiful appearance.
6th—To prevent the hair from falling off.
7th—To cure all diseases of the scalp.
8th—To dress false hair elegantly.
9th—To cure the headache.
10th—To kill haireaters.
11th—To dress children's hair elegantly

All genuine will have the signature of the Manufacturer and proprietor, J. RUSSELL SPALDING, DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY, 23 TREMONT ROW, Opposite Museum, Boston, Mass.

Trial bottles, 25 cents only; very large bottles, 75 cents.

Sold by Agents everywhere; remarkable terms given to dealers.

Orders by mail, express, or otherwise, will receive prompt and satisfactory attention—for this or any articles in the medicine line, such as—

HAIR DYE, for giving a beautiful Brown, Auburn, or Black to the hair, whiskers, and false hair—to the perfect satisfaction of all.

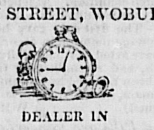
Gen. Twigg's Celebrated Restorer of Gray hair to its natural color, without discoloring or injuring the skin in the least—made from the only true, original recipe obtained of the General himself.

Also, an endless stock of Teeth, Hair, Nail and Flesh Brushes, of the best quality, French Cologne, Perfumery, Soaps, Toilet Powder, &c. All of the nicest description, with other articles usually found in the first class apothecary stores.

N. B. Particular attention given to putting up physician's prescriptions and family medicines, night and day.
J. RUSSEL SPALDING,
Druggist and Apothecary,
23 Tremont Row, opposite the Museum,
Boston, Mass.
Sold in Woburn by E. Cooper, E. Trull, G. W Fowle: Winchester, Dr. Youngman. jy23ishcly

W. M. WESTON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN,



DEALER IN
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, Gold and Silver Pencils Table, Tea, Salt and Mustard Spoons, Cream Ladles, Butter Knives &c.

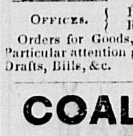
Silver and Plated Ware of all kinds, made to order.

Silver Combs, Spectacles, Fans, Steel trimmings and Beads. ALSO, a variety of

Musical Instruments,

such as VIOLINS, MELODIANS, ACCORDIANS, and MUSIC BOXES.
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry, repaired in the best possible manner
Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange.
ALSO,—MELODIANS TO LET.
april 3 tf

CONVERSE & Co.,



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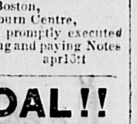
BOSTON R. R.
EXPRESS.
5 TRIPS DAILY.



OFFICES. } 10 Court Sqare, Boston,
} R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre,
Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c. apr13tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.
Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.
AMOS LOCKE.
☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.
Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

M. TEARE, MILLINARY ROOMS,

Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.
Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. M. TEARE.
oct 18 tf

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!

CHANDLER & CO.
Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO
Long and Square Shawls
In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,
To which they invite the attention of purchasers.
NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING
— AND —
FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.
A large assortment of
Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags, &c.
FOWLE'S BLOCK.

BUSINESS CARDS.

EDWARD CASTELL,

Wholesale and retail
CONFECTIONER,
264 HANOVER STREET,
(Two doors above Richmond street,)
BOSTON.
☞ Constantly on hand a large assortment of English, French and American Confectionery, at wholesale and retail, at the lowest cash prices.
, Particular attention given to orders for exportation to the British Provinces.

HENSHAW & PRESCOTT,

Importers and dealers in
DRUGS, PAINTS and DYES,
Manufacturers of
COPAL VARNISH,
NO. 41 INDIA STREET, BOSTON.
☞ Orders for exportation to the British Provinces will receive prompt attention. jan7—1854—tf

MARK ALLEN,

Manufacturer of
Penholders.
Rooms at Woburn Machine Shop,
Woburn, Mass.
☞ Orders for various styles of Penholders, respectfully solicited. July 30 tf

WM. A. MILES,

(Successor to Amos Bugbee, 2d.)
—DEALER IN—
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,
Wade's Block, Woburn,
June 4 tf

WILLIAM WINN, JR.,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER,
BURLINGTON, MASS
Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms.
All orders left at this OFFICE, will be promptly attended to. oct 18

JOHN G. COLE,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER.
Paper Hanging, Whitewashing and Coloring done in the neatest manner. Also, Graining and Marbling.
SASHES and BLINDS, of every description, furnished.
PAINTS, OIL and GLASS, of the best quality.
Shop first building South of the Branch Railroad depot.
feb 14 tf. MAIN ST., WOBURN.

George W. Fowle,

BOOKSELLER, STATIONER
AND
JOB PRINTER.
Agent for all the principal
NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
N. B. Old Books and Periodicals bound to order. Job Printing of all kinds, executed with neatness.

N. WYMAN,

—DEALER IN—
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS
No. 8 WADE'S BUILDINGS.
oct 18 tf WOBURN.

J. H. EVANS,

NEW, IMPROVED, ORNAMENTAL
DRYING AND REVOLVING MACHINES,
Cambridgeport, Mass.
Orders left at Amos Waite's, 43 Brattle St., Boston,
— AND —
Fowle's Book Store, Woburn
☞ Ladders, &c., always on hand.
oct 30 6 mos

HARRIS JOHNSON.

LICENCED AUCTIONEER.
WOBURN, MASS
Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms. jan 31

THOMAS SLEATER & Co.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS
FOSTER'S WHARF,....BOSTON.
Boots, Shoes, Leather and Mechandise purchased and sold. Orders left at Fowle's Bookstore, Woburn, will receive attention. nov 15 tf

EDWARD E. COOPER,

— DEALER IN —
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Dye Stuffs
Nos. 5 & 6 WADE'S BUILDINGS,
WOBURN
Medicines delivered at all hours of the day and night Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared. Fresh Foreign Leeches constantly on hand mar 27 tf

LIBBY & BROTHERS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FOREIGN...AND...DOMESTIC
Dry Goods,
Nos. 206 & 208 Hanover Street,
(Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church.)
F F Libby. } BOSTON. { S. R. Libby

Philip Teare,

MERCHANT TAILOR,
KNIGHT'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
Garments Cut and Made in the best manner, and warranted to fit. dec11tf

BATES & GOLDTHWAIT,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
CARPETINGS,
Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tailors' Trimmings, &
PLUSHES, DRAB CLOTHS, DAMASKS, &c.,
(FOR CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS.)
No. 45 Washington Street,.........Boston
feb 21 tf

EAYRS & FAIRBANKS,

STATIONERS,
—AND—
ACCOUNT BOOK MANUFACTURERS,
No. 136 WASHINGTON STREET,
BOSTON.
Importers of English and French Writing, Letter and Note Paper, Envelopes, Writing Parchments, &c
oct 18 tf

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS

AT THE WOBURN BOOK STORE.

DAILY	
Traveller.	New York Herald
Journal	Tribune.
Times.	Commonwealth
Herald.	Rambler.
Commonwealth.	Banner.
	Museum.
WEEKLY	MAGAZINES
Traveller	Waverly
Journal.	Harper's
Bee.	Lady Book
Woburn Journal	Graham's.
Olive Branch	Sartain's.
Flag of our Union.	London Art Journal
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POETRY.

[For the Journal.]

PERSEVERE.

Should Slander's dart assail thee,
And cause the rising tear,
Let not thy courage fail thee;
Look up, and persevere.

Should adversity o'ertake thee,
And life look dark and drear,
Still let not hope forsake thee;
Look up, and persevere.

Though troubles now surround thee,
And trials oft appear,
Yet, bright success *may* crown thee,
If thou wilt persevere.

Though vile and wicked slander,
On every side you hear,
From duty never wander;
Look up, and persevere.

Thou hast the bright assurance,
(For well may it be proved,)
By patient perseverance,
May mountains be removed.

Then, let no doubts steal o'er thee,
But this thy bosom cheer,—
There's brighter days before thee,
If thou wilt persevere.

RIVERSIDE, Feb., 1854. PAOLINA.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

[From the New England Farmer.]

The Farmers of New England can successfully compete with those in the more fertile regions of the West, only by conducting their operations with superior science and diligence. It is only by the aid of science and the cheapness of labor, that the British agriculturist can save himself, under the operation of the free trade system, from being inundated by American productions, and the relations of the New England farmer to the Western, is quite analogous to that between the English and American. In England there is hardly one cultivator of the soil to four manufacturers and artisans, but in the United States, the case is exactly the reverse, there being about four cultivators of the soil to one in all other occupations. By the census of 1831, out of 3,414,175 families in Great Britain, 961,134, or nearly a fourth, (282 in 1000) were employed in the product of food. The census of 1841 showed a still greater disproportion between these two classes, the agricultural population having in many places declined, and the manufacturing having immensely increased. The census of 1851 exhibited a wider disproportion still, so that now considerably less than one-fourth are employed in raising food for considerably more than three-fourths of the population.

In the face of all these facts, however, the importation of corn into Great Britain, except in cases of unusual scarcity, has been gradually diminishing for the last thirty years.—How, then, is the English farmer able to meet this constantly increasing demand? The answer is by bringing to his aid the most recent discoveries in science, relating to the constituents of different soils, rotation and adaptation of crops, the chemical qualities of the various vegetables cultivated, and of the food which they require, &c., together with the latest improvements in agricultural implements. And in like manner, the New England farmer can compete with the Western, only by employing the same means. But the New England farmer labors under this additional disadvantage. Taking in the whole country west of the Alleghany mountains, the proportion of the population engaged in agricultural pursuits is as eight to one in all other pursuits. There, where the forests and the prairies are to be subdued, the old remark of Adam Smith still holds good, that a widow with eight children is sought after and married as an heiress; and as in the days of the patriarchs, the greater the number of arrows in the quiver of the Western cultivator, the greater is his strength in the gate.

Against this all but overwhelming competition, the New England farmer, on his sterile soil and worn-out acres, can never sustain himself, except by bringing to his aid every improvement which discovery in science and invention in art has brought to light, and which is adapted to his purpose. To cry out against these improvements and to refuse their assistance, is, therefore, clearly suicidal. The vast importance of this topic to the prosperity of New England can hardly be over-rated. D. C.

Waltham, Jan., 1854.

Fruit is now becoming one of our most important and profitable productions. It is a source of wealth to the farmer, and enjoyment to the people. The profit arising from the culture of fruit is not necessarily confined to the sale of that portion of it which is brought to market. It is now the opinion of good, practical farmers, that fruit affords one of the cheapest and best varieties of food for cattle and horses, and particularly swine. All of these animals fatten well on fruit, either cooked or raw, although many good farmers consider that it is much more valuable when cooked. We believe that the culture of fruit merely as food for animals would richly repay the labor and expense of cultivation.

A correspondent of the Boston Cultivator, states that he has cured cows of garget by the use of iodine in the form of hidriodate of potash, ten grains in a table spoonful of water, three times a day, mixed in a mug of shorts or meal. A cow that was considered incurable after six months ordinary treatment gave milk finely in seven days, and was thoroughly cured in three weeks. A large dose, it is stated, can be safely used.

Eighty hens, belonging to Captain Thomas A. Norton, of Edgartown, laid during the year past six hundred and thirty-seven dozen of eggs.

Health for the Afflicted!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disorderd stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper. I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, DROPSY, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

(Signed) EDWARD ROWLEY.

A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY

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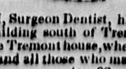

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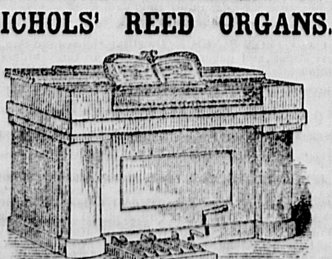

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[For the Journal.]

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"Angels ever bright and fair,
Take, oh take me to your care."

THE BELIEVER'S PRAYER.

Gently breathe and softly tread, drop no sorrowing tear.
List! the rustling in the air; angels bright ar here.
Folding now their radiant wings, bright with heaven's array;
From that viewless better land, where 'tis endless day.
Now they hover o'er the form, to each heart so dear,
Soon to bear on pinion's bright, to their glorious sphere.
Listen to the breathings low of her soul in prayer—
Angels ever bright and fair, take, oh take me to your care.

Long in pain she's waited here for the hour to come,
When the lamb, that for her died, should call his loved one home.
Gently sinking, day by day, fading summer flowers,
Like them doomed to pass away, with the summer hours
But we never heard a murmur, calm reliance reigned within;
She had bathed in heavenly fountains, and her soul was free from sin.
Still we hear her fond entreaty, to those bright ones in the air—
Angels ever bright and fair, take, oh take me to your care.

Gently now those eyes are beaming, see their gaze, how full of hope,
From above a radiance streaming; to her view heaven's portals ope;
And seraphic strains are murmuring from the regions of the blest,
Where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.
With a gentle sigh of passing breath, a smile of heavenly love,
She left her hold of things below, for a hope of bliss above.
And we looked upon that lovely face, so radiant and so fair,
For well we knew, the angels bright, had ta'en her to their care.

Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. M. D. S.

From the New York Tribune.

THE MAIL AGENT'S STORY.

The following account of a transaction, in which the narrator was one of the parties concerned, is given to show the terrific dangers to which persons in the railroad employ are subject, and also as a remarkable instance of escape from what might seem a certain death. The story is related as near as possible in the words of the Mail Agent himself.

I was at one time in the employ of the government as Mail Agent, and on the day in which the following event occurred, which was of a Saturday, about the middle of May, 18—, I was running down with one of the English mails from N— Y— to B—. The dispatch of these trains was irregular, and depended upon the will of the Chief Postmaster, and they have since, I think, been entirely given up.

At about 6 P. M. we reached S—, that busiest and prettiest of all the inland New England cities. The trees were just putting on their first garment of fresh leaves, the wide fields began to shine with verdure, and every boy and girl seemed to have just found some new sport and to utter some new kind of shout, as we dashed into the old depot, with a shriek from the engine (a very powerful one of the first class, called the Ætna,) enough to take the hair off one's head. All I had on the train was one car behind the tender, carrying the mail, some valuable express matter, and a live brakeman. I used to think myself a great man in those days, when I was entrusted sometimes with half a million of property, but I had good reason to change my mind before I was over with this special trip that I'll be bound. What is any amount of dollars and cents, compared with the risk that a man must run that is at the head of an express mail train? We halted in the S— depot just long enough to wood and water, seize upon a mug of piping hot chickory coffee, and a bit of greasy paste concealing a slab of dried apple-sauce, and called in courtesy, a pie—when springing on the train, we left the station somewhat before sunset, and were soon flying at a headlong pace, in the direction of the seaboard.

Now, I doubt not, to you and other gentlemen who are in the habit of sitting in a comfortable railroad car, on a stuffed seat, reading the last news from Europe or the pages of some entertaining novel, the mode of travel and the various little incidents on the road seem very delightful. But the thing is very different when you are perched on the seat of the engine, and going down the road at the rate of fifty miles an hour, a velocity not rarely attained where the track is in good order, and getting over the ground the sole consideration in view. I could not endure the solitude of the mail car, and almost uniformly sat forward, even when it was stormy, and I can conceive of few things more astonishing, at the same time overpowering to a sensitive person, than that of a night trip, when you cannot see an inch ahead, unless you are at the engineer's window, and you sit swaying about after the engine, (or machine, as it is invariably called by the employees,) which seems every moment as if it would fling itself off the track, as it continually sags and leans from one side to the other. In the passenger cars no idea whatever of the speed, or the momentum, can be obtained; this can only be got by standing near the engine as the train whizzes by, or being upon the engine or tender. There is, in addition to the jerks and motion ahead, a universal compound hideous noise, made of steam fizzing, the shriek of the whistle, which never seems to be over on a fast train, as it is the custom to whistle at every crossing, and a general groaning of wheels, chains, and axles, and the sough of the wind as it draws through the engine. In fact, take a quiet man out of his parlor some stormy evening, with an easterly breeze, from a comfortable confab with his better half, and put him on the engine of a mail train "devouring the darkness" at the rate of 45 miles an hour, and if he recovers from the shock in six months he will have considerably more iron in his nerves than most slow coaches I have known.

But on the evening in question we had fair weather, and daylight sufficient to last us a good way down, a first rate engine, and a clear run to W———, so far as we knew.

"A fair prospect for a good trip," said I to the engineer before starting.

"It looks well enough *now*," was his reply. "And little enough time to do it in. I only wish the merchants of B——— had to run these——mail trains for themselves, and take the beggarly wages I get for the business. I'll be bound they would not scrape their precious bones over the road more than once, and then twenty miles an hour would take breath out of their bodies."

Thompson, the engineer on this trip, I had ridden with before. He was a tall, black-haired man, from the State of Connecticut, a great driver, and silent as death on the road. He kept his eye fixed steadily on the track, except when he was timing his speed. That he possessed the unscrupulous presence of mind, some persons may call it recklessness, positively demanded by the driver of a fast train, will be shown by the incident that follows:

We had come along very well, and were some way past N—— W——. I think we might have been going at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour, common running time. There was here a slight curve in the road, and on getting around it, I heard Thompson cry out at the utmost power of his lungs (not of much account to be sure in the din of the engine)—"There is something on the road.—Hold on for your lives." And as he said this, he put the whole force on the engine, and let off the full power of the whistle in a shriek of concentrated agony, that it appeared as if the entire chorus of pandemonium had been let loose, and then, in another second, there was a tremendous crash, a mighty jar that threw me flat on the floor of the engine, and a universal crashing of timbers, rattling of wheels, and something like the death shriek of man or beast. And in another second all this agony was over, the engine was reversed, the brakes put on, and Thompson exclaimed: "We have run down a train, Mr. Collins, and though our time is short, I believe it is but a duty to run back and see if anybody is killed."—Thompson and I thereupon jumped off and ran back about twenty yards, when we saw in an instant the terrific danger we had past, and the nature of the accident. A party of Irish laborers were now standing by the side of the road, and the engineer of the train we had run down, a red-haired Lowland Scot by the name of McGillies, told us how it had all happened. "You see man," said Mac, "I had come along down to back up into the gravel pit, with about thirty men on board the dirt cars, and a car with two horses in it; I knew you would be along, and I believed I had time enough to set the switch, back off my train and put everything in order before you would be here. But as true as I live at this moment, I hadn't run down more than far enough to get my last car on the gravel track, and as for the switch, I had not seen it before I heard you. I believe I considered a second about it, and I said to myself, if this switch is set now, both trains will be altogether broke up; if I leave the train, my men will at least be safe, and he will have some chance of running over through it. 'Jump men—jump for your lives!' was all I said; and we did, and cleared ourselves, and that is just it; and what will the Governor be spaking about?' as the Irishman says." The nature of the ground was all that saved the mail train. A little plane on one side had been cut down for the gravel, and the road lay sliding, while on the right hand an embankment went down a considerable distance, and in a small pond or pool at the bottom of this bank were the victims of our speed and Thompson's presence of mind, namely, the locomotive, the dirt-cars and cars in which were the horses, the latter, of course, "kilt entirely." Our engine struck the hindermost of the dirt-cars with the most terrific force, and literally piled the whole train one over the other upon the engine, and the impetus still keeping up, with a violent strain to the right, the locomotive, and in fact the whole concern, had gone over in one mass off the road and out of the way. "Come, Mr. Collins," cried Thompson, "we have not half a minute to lose; on board, on board!" and springing on the machine, we were again piling down the road at an awful rate, to make up for lost time. On reaching the next station, we found everything moveable in the front of our engine had been carried clean away, our lamp, cow-killer, rails and woodwork, but the heavy solid engine-head had literally acted like a cannon-ball, and swept the whole gravel train off the track, as if it had been so many bundles of straw.

"You look pale man," said Thompson, as we got down from the engine in the station-house at W———.

"I *feel* pale," said I. "By the way it appears to me you raised steam when you saw that train ahead. Did you know it was a train?"

"I cannot say much about that," he replied with a strange look about his eyes. "The fact is, I know there was something ahead, that we were going at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour, and that to bring up was totally out of the question. The only chance was in running the thing down. I have played the same game before, and I should again if my life was hanging on it. You must do something, and you must do it short metre. But let me tell you one thing, Mr. Collins, it is the last day that ——— red-headed Scotchman, the plague rot him, will drive a train on the W——— road."

"What has happened, Charles?" asked my wife of me, as I entered the sitting-room of my house in W———, for I went no further than this place;—"you look more like a ghost than a living man." Out of curiosity I looked in the glass, and it was literally the fact, that my cheeks were a ghastly white, my hair as wet as if it had just been ducked in the river; in fact, I was the exact picture of a criminal who is led out for execution.

"Happened, Mary!" was my reply, "this has happened, that I have taken my last ride as special agent on a mail train if the house must be sold over our heads." And then I detailed the above circumstances.

"Horrible, horrible!" exclaimed the poor girl, unable to keep the tears from flowing down her cheeks, "what an awful escape from death. Grant Heaven that you may never go again!"

I learned beyond a doubt, for I made every inquiry, that McGillies, the driver of the gravel train, was an intemperate man, and had been seen hanging about the grog shops of N——— W——— that afternoon. Rum was the cause of this near escape that I had from a horrible death, and I would say in conclusion, never, on any occasion, ride on special mail-trains, and beware of strong drink as you would of a raging poison.

PARSON SURELY'S EXPERIMENT.

A Sketch for Weather Grumblers.

BY AUSTIN C. BURDICK.

The small parish of Fallowdale had been for some time without a pastor. The members were nearly all farmers, and they had not much money to bestow upon the support of a clergyman; yet they were willing to pay for anything that could promise them any due return of good. In course of time, it happened that the Rev. Abraham Surely visited Fallowdale, and as a Sabbath passed during his sojourn, he held a meeting in the small church. The people were pleased with his preaching, and some of them proposed inviting him to remain with them, and take charge of their spiritual welfare.

Upon the merits of this proposition, there was a long discussion. Parson Surely had signified his willingness to take a permanent residence at Fallowdale, but the members of the parish could not so readily agree to hire him.

"I don't see the use of hiring a parson," said Mr. Sharp, an old farmer of the place. "He can do us no good. If we've got any money to spare, we'd better lay it up for something else. A parson can't learn me anything."

To this it was answered that stated religous meetings would be of great benefit to the younger people, and also a source of real social good to all.

"I don't know 'bout that," said Sharp, after he had heard the arguments against him. Sharp was one of the wealthiest men in the parish, and consequently one of the most influential. "I've hearn tell," he continued, "of a parson that could pray for rain, and have it come at any time. Now if we could hit upon such a parson as that, I would go in for hiring him."

This opened a new idea to the unsophisticated minds of Fallowdale. The farmers often suffered from long droughts, and after arguing awhile longer, they agreed to hire Parson Surely upon the condition that he should give them rain whenever they wished for it, and, on the other hand, that he would also give them fair weather when required. Deacons Smith and Townsend were deputised to make this arrangement known to the parson, and the people remained in the church while their messengers went upon their errand.

When the deacons returned, Mr. Surely accompanied them. He smiled, as he entered the church, and with a graceful bow he saluted the people there assembled.

"Well, my friends," he said, as he ascended the platform in front of the desk, "I have heard your request to me, and, strange as it may appear, I have come to accept your proposal; but I can do it only on one condition; and that is, that your request for a change of weather must be unanimous."

This appeared very reasonable, since every member of the parish had a deep interest in the farming business, and ere long it was arranged that Mr. Surely should become the pastor of Fallowdale, and that he should give the people rain whenever they asked for it.

When Mr. Surely returned to his lodgings his wife was utterly astounded upon learning the nature of the contract her husband had entered into; but the pastor only smiled, and bade her wait for the result.

"But you know you cannot make it rain," persisted Mrs. Surely; "and you know, too, that the farmers here will be wanting rain very often when there is none for them. You will be disgraced."

"I will learn them a lesson," quietly returned the pastor.

"Ay—that you cannot be so good as your word; and when you have learned it to them they will turn you off."

"We shall see," was Mr. Surely's reply, as he took up a book and commenced reading.

This was a signal for the wife to desist from further conversation on the subject, and she at once obeyed.

Time flew on, and at length the hot days of midsummer were at hand. For three weeks it had not rained, and the young corn was beginning to curl up beneath the effects of the drought. In this extremity the people bethought themselves of the promise of their pastor, and some of them hastened to his dwelling.

"Come," said Sharp, whose hilly farm was suffering severely, "we want some rain. You remember your promise."

"Certainly," returned Mr. Surely. "If you will call for a meeting of the members of the parish, I will be with you this evening."

With this the applicants were perfectly satisfied, and forthwith they hastened to call the flock together.

"Now you'll see the hour of your disgrace," said Mrs. Surely, after the visitors had gone. "O, I am very sorry you ever undertook to deceive them so."

"I did not deceive them."

"Yes, you surely did."

"We shall see," responded the pastor.

"So we *shall* see," added the lady.

The hour for the meeting came around, and Parson Surely met his people at the church They were all there—most of them anxious, and the remainder curious.

"Now my friends," said the pastor, arising upon the platform, "I have come to hear your request. What is it?"

"We want rain," bluntly spoke Farmer Sharp; "and you know you promised to give it to us."

"Ay—rain—rain," repeated half a dozen voices.

"Very well. Now when will you have it."

"This very night. Let it rain all night long," said Sharp, to which several others immediately assented.

"No, no. not to-night," cried Deacon Smith. "I have six or seven tons of well-made hay in the field, and I would not have it wet for anything."

"So have I hay out," added Mr. Peck, "We wont have it rain to-night."

"Then let it be to-morrow."

"It will take me all day to-morrow to get my hay in," said Smith.

Thus the objections came up for the two succeeding days, and at length, by way of compromise, Mr. Sharp proposed that they should have rain in just four days. "For," said he, "by that time, all the hay which is now out can be got in, and we need not cut any—"

"Stop, stop," uttered Mrs. Sharp, pulling her worthy husband smartly by the sleeve. "That is the day we have set to go to Snowhill. It *musn't* rain then!"

This was law for Mr. Sharp, so he proposed that the rain should come in one week, and then resumed his seat. But this would not do. Many of the people would not have it put off so long." "If we can't have rain before then, we'd better not have it at all," said they.

In short, the meeting resulted in just no conclusion at all, for the good people found it utterly impossible to agree upon a time when it should rain.

"Until you can make up your minds upon this point," said the pastor, as he was about leaving the church, "we must all trust in the Lord." And after this the people followed him from the place.

Both Deacon Smith and Mr. Peck got their hay safely in, but on the very day that Mr. Sharp and his wife were to have started for Snowhill it began to rain in right good earnest. Sharp lost his visit, but he met the disappointment with good grace, for his crops smiled at the rain.

Ere another month had rolled by, another meeting was called for a petition for rain, but this time the result was the same as before. Many of the people had their muck to dig, and rain would prevent them. Some wanted the rain immediately—some in one, some in two, and some in three days, while others wanted it put off longer. So Mr. Surely had not yet occasion to call for rain.

One year rolled by, and up to that time the people of Fallowdale had never once been able to agree upon the exact kind of weather they would have, and the result was, that they began to open their eyes to the fact that this world would be a strange place if its inhabitants could govern it. While they had been longing for a power they did not possess, they had not seen its absurdity, but now that they had, in good faith, tried to apply that power, under the belief that it was theirs, they saw clearly that they were getting beyond their sphere. They saw that Nature's laws were safer in the hands of Nature's God than in the hands of Nature's children.

On the last Sabbath in the first year of Mr. Sureley's settlement at Fallowdale, he offered to take up his connexion with the parish, but the people would not listen to it. They had become attached to him and to the meetings, and they wished him to stay.

"But I can no longer rest under our former contract with regard to the weather," said the pastor.

"Nor do we wish you to," returned Sharp. "Only preach to us and teach us and our children how to live, and help us to be social and happy."

"And," added the pastor, while a tear of pride stood in his eye, as he looked for an instant into the face of his now happy wife, "All things above our proper sphere we will leave with God, for '*He doeth all things well.*'"

WOBURN RECORDS.

BIRTHS CONTINUED.

Fowle, Lydia d John and Lois, d Feb 4.
Wright, Esther d Jonathan and Ruth, Aug 12.
Wyman, David s David and Lucy, Apl 16.
Brooks, Samuel Watts s Zachariah and Susannah, Sept 22.
Skelton, Samuel s Dane and Ruth, Sept 6.
Scotton, Mary d John and Susanna, Sept 22.
Dix, William s James and Mary, July 20.
Johnson, Ezekiel s Josiah and Sarah, Aug 18.
Tidd, Jonathan s Jonathan and Rhoda, Dec 5.
Skinner, Samuel s Joseph and Sarah, Aug 9.
Edgell, Peter Wyman s Benjamin and Susanna, June 9.
Simonds, Daniel s Calvin and Abigail, Nov 15.
Carter, Abigail d Simon and Susanna, Sept 15.
Kendall, Lcammi d Jonathan and Joanna, June 12.
Blanchard, Wm. Grimes s David jr. and Sarah, Mar 24.
Brooks, Hannah d Nathaniel and Esther, June 30.
Brown, Patience d Josiah and Judeth, Mar 10.
Cummings, Phebe d Ebenezer and Jemima, Sept 8.
Wyman, Betsy d Zadok and Betty, Nov 30.
Richardson, Luke s Luke and Mary, Aug 18.
Tay, Abigail Jones d Samuel and Sarah, Mar 16.
Eames, Nabby d John and Abigail, August 10.
Dean, Abigail d Lemuel and Abigail, March 11.
Reed, Jonas s Jonas and Rhoda, June 27.
Johnson, Daniel s Daniel and Ann, Feb 27.
Coggin, Jacob s Jacob and Abigail, Sept 5.
Johnson, Cyrus s Abijah and Mary, Sept 8.
Tyler, Jonathan s Jonathan and Rhoda, Sept 17.
Winn, John s Samuel and Mehitabel, March 15.
Wyman, Mary d Nathan and Mary, Sept 13.
Johnson, Kezia d Reuben and Kezia, March 22.
Wyman, Pamelia d Abel and Ruth, Jan 24.
Lock, Lucy d Thomas jr and Lydia, May 4.

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Richardson, James s James and Lucy, March 19.
Centre, Hannah d Bill and Hannah, January 21.
Winn, Lucy d Lt Joseph and Betty, January 22.
Skelton, Thomas s Thomas and Elizabeth, Feb 8.
Brooks, Susanna d Joseph and Sarah, January 8.
Reed, Ebenezer s Ebenezer and Ann, March 1.
Simonds, William s Hazael and Mary, April 16.
Wright, Polly d Josiah and Mary, Sept. 20.
Richardson, Pamela d Jeduthan and Mary, July 13.
Thompson, Hannah d Hiram and Bridget, July 9.
Carter, Sybil d Jonathan and Sybil, Sept 17.
Skinner, Josiah s John and Susanna, Oct 23.
Fowle, Sally d James and Jane, June 19.
Simonds, Susanna d Luther and Bathsheba, Nov. 29.
Reed, Eunice d Samuel and Joanna, April 3.
Simonds, Jonathan s Jonathan and Phebe, Nov 4.
Miller, Polly d Job and Sarah, May 3.
Jones, Abigail Waters d Jonathan and Abigail, Mar 20.
Blanchard, Benjamin s Benjamin and Lucy, Aug 31.
Eames, Cynthia d John and Abigail, October 7.
Richardson, Jesse d Jesse and Submit, July 28.
Wyman, Joseph s Joseph and Mary, June 13.
Carter, Molly d William jr and Sophia, June 17.
Flagg, Josiah s John and Abigail, April 8.
Reed, Lydia d Amos and Lydia, April 18.
Richardson, Job s Edward and Sarah, August 17.
Baldwin, James Fowle s Col Loammi and Mary, April 29.
Wyman, Eunice d Zebadiah and Eunice, Sept 8.
Parker, Joseph s Benjamin and Mehitable, June 9.

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WOBURN, SATURDAY, MAR. 25, 1854.

AGENTS.

North Woburn—Messrs. Nichols, Winn & Co
Winchester—Dr. David Youngman.
Stoneham—Mr. G. W. Dike.
Travelling Agent—George Thompson.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Prairie Bird.—The tale of the fisherman's daughter is very acceptable. Our readers will be pleased with it. We are much obliged to our fair correspondent for remembering us, after so long silence. We must have some interesting sketches for our new paper—descriptive of scenes in Middlesex County. The space is large.

J. S.—We don't exactly understand your motive in sending us your communication. If you expect us to deviate from our usual course, in respect to political or individual controversy, you are mistaken—that rule with us is imperative. Can't admit your article.

Thekla, the Recluse.—There is a strain of good feeling pervading your writings which commend them to our readers.

☞ The Hermit and Jotham must excuse us for this week.

EDITORIAL.

OURSELVES.

We have a few words to say on a contemplated change in the name of this paper, from its present one to that of the Middlesex Journal.

At the request of many friends in our neighboring towns, that they wanted a paper which would be more general in name, and which would take in the interests of all in our county, and which would be considered not local in its views, but free for all communications tending to benefit the local interests of the surrounding towns, and in which all the talent combined could make such a paper valuable; we have concluded to yield to that request, and issue the Journal under its new name, trusting that our friends will unite and sustain us in our new effort to place before the citizens of Middlesex county a true family paper, which shall be made acceptable as a weekly fireside companion.

We do not make this alteration because we have not received support for what we have done, for we can say that in every department of the Woburn Journal, thus far, we have been fully sustained by the public; and we are proud to add, that we stand at this moment on firm and solid ground. We have not soiled our columns with party strife, or political humbugs of the day, neither have we permitted any personal controversy or wrong intelligence to appear in our sheet, and we have endeavored, in our selections, to spread the cause of morality, by placing before the young sketches and tales which would improve the mind and encourage the best principles of moral society, and we are pleased to know that we have been sustained.

The same principles, and having the same end in view, will, of course, still be the guiding star for the future Middlesex Journal. The field for labor will be wider, and will require aid in all the departments of a useful family paper—such aid we are promised, and from those who are well capable to give it, and we anticipate a valuable addition also to the great interests of agriculture—and in the literary additions, we can assure our readers they will find much to admire.

We hope to receive large additions in the advertising department, and as our paper will now circulate largely through the county, we shall expect the support of our friends.

Progress is the order of the day, and we must not be left in the rear rank; therefore, we shall issue the next paper under the new name of the "MIDDLESEX JOURNAL."

☞ We have never witnessed a more pleasant and brilliant gathering on a like occasion than was assembled at the Central House, last Wednesday evening, for the closing Ball of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx. We received a polite invitation from Capt. Winn, and we attended with the expectation of witnessing a fair number of the Ball-going public, with the usual preparations for such occasions. Our expectations were more than realized.

The Central House had been taken entire, and prepared accordingly; and when we passed into the Hall, our eyes were attracted by a display of the star spangled banner, beautifully entwined around the Hall, on which hung many fine pictures, conspicuous among them was that of Washington. In the window recesses there was very happily arranged military equipments, which altogether showed skill and taste in the committee.

The Hall was soon filled with ladies from Woburn, Boston and other towns, military officers and privates in full dress, and citizens from all around us—it was a complete jam, numbering, we should think, over 500; and we heard many remarks about that *Town Hall*, which will be built one of these days,—and some of our good citizens DID think it was a shame that Woburn could not have a better public Hall.—So we think.

The military display was in every respect excellent. Amongst the prominent officers, we noticed Col. Green and staff of the 4th Regt. Light infantry, Lieut. Col. Prince of the 7th Regt. Light Infantry, Capt. Meacham and officers of the Cambridge city Guards, Lieut. Rogers, (commanding) Charlestown City Guards, Capt French and Lieut. Porter of the Boston City Guards, Capt. Wright of the Boston Light Dragoons, Co. B, Capt. Park of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery, Capt. Henshaw and Lieut. H. Saltonstall, and Corp. Snow of the New England Guards, Lieut. Dodd, and several members of the Boston Light Infantry, Lieut. Shepard of the Somerville Light Infantry, Capt. T. H. Banks of Nashua, N. H., past Cols. Nelson, Winn, Mitchell, and many others. Woburn was well represented, especially by the ladies—good evidence of the high respect in which our popular military corps is held in their *own town*.

The supper was prepared by Mr. Smith of Boston, in his best style. The tables were ornamented with evergreens, and filled with all the good things to satisfy the most peculiar taste.

The dancing, we presume, lasted till an early morning hour, under the music of the Salem Brass Band, who performed their part to admiration. That bugle is played by a master hand, and its sounds were thrilling. Everything passed off in admirable order, and the correct deportment of the officers and privates of the Phalanx is a sure guarantee for the success of all future assemblies given by this company.

Some of the old members of the Phalanx played the part of *youngsters* tolerably well. We observed *young* Mr. Pool and private Winn skipping, as they thought, *lightly* over the floor, while our *tall* friend, of the Sheriffality, looked *down* upon them. Our engineer was as young as ever, and we discovered the pleasing looks of postmaster, town clerk, selectmen, and those learned in the law, all mingling in the merry dance with the military and civic citizens, and forming the greatest attractive military assembly of the season, which will long be remembered as *the* Woburn Mechanic Phalanx Military Ball.

☞ Some unknown friend has sent us a bundle of papers from Westfield, New York. We have many valued friends in this beautiful town, and we should be pleased to know who remember us. We will, however, thank *all*, and we shall be sure to get the right one.

We can never forget the pleasant years we passed in the County of Chautauque, in the State of New York. It borders on Lake Erie, and in our early years it was called the "western country," now it is one of the most fertile and flourishing counties in the Empire State. In the exciting political times of De Witt Clinton, Martin Van Buren, Black Rock Harbor, the Erie Canal and great State Road, now the great Erie Railroad; the Morgan excitement, which brought into notice the Hon. W. H. Seward, now Senator in Congress, and Thurlow Weed, Esq., of the Albany Evening Journal, we took an active part, and our memory is stored with incidents of those times, which would be no doubt interesting, if we could get time to note them down. Most of the actors have passed away. Some may yet be left among our friends in Westfield; and as we were the *original* projectors of the Erie Railroad, we will accept of a free ticket and pay our old friends a visit. We well remember when we first started the idea of a Railroad, instead of a State Road, from Lake Erie to New York. That we were pointed at as *partially insane*,—but we could build it. And now the road is built, and we can't get a ride on it without paying for a ticket. Republics and great monopolies are ungrateful.

We received, some time since, a communication from Westfield, which we published, supposing it came from Westfield, Mass. We now correct the error, and hope to hear from our friends again.

"A superb specimen of needle work may be seen in the window of Terry & Barnes, 123 Washington street, for a few days. It is by Miss C. A. Simson, of Charlestown, whose talent as an artist in the department of needle work probably is not excelled in our country The subject of the present picture is "Feeding the Horses,"—a work of great beauty, and one long admired as an engraving, and its reproduction in this admirable form, will give pleasure to all who may receive it."

The above is from the Boston Post. Every word of commendation of the work is true. We advise all who wish to see a perfect piece of needle work to go and see it. We are willing Miss Simpson should receive all due credit for her school of needle work, but we think our fair correspondent, Miss Harriet A. King of Melrose, should receive her share of credit for this beautiful piece of needle work, for it is the work of her own fingers, and not the only one from her talent in this popular art, which has added much to sustain the high standing of Miss Simpson's school.

Mr. Editor:—I would simply ask the proper authorities what is the condition of the cistern near the common?

An extensive conflagration was only prevented by great exertion this morning in the very centre of Woburn. It would seem that the roofs of the Town Hall and School House would supply the reservoir with Water.

Thursday morning, March 23.

☞ The sale of the stable stock of Mr Hart, last Wednesday, was attended by a numerous company, and all brought fair prices the proceeds amounting to about $9,000. Much depends in these sales on the auctioneer, and our friend Winn has a peculiar manner of making an *impression* under the hammer, which generally hits the right nail on the head.

☞ At a meeting of the Woburn Total Abstinence Society, held Saturday evening, March 18, the following persons were chosen as officers of the society for the ensuing year:

Harrison Bates, *President.*
Cyrus Tay, *Vice President.*
John P. Kimball, *Secretary.*
Munson Johnson, *Treasurer.*
Jeduthan Richardson, F. K. Craigin, John Knights, 3d, John D. Tidd, George W. Kimball, *Directors.*

☞ The high wind last Friday night and Saturday, did heavy damage to buildings in our neighboring towns. One man was killed in Boston by a brick from a chimney. The wind was severe in Maine and other parts of the country.

☞ Who is to move about the "Tree Society;" it is time to act. Societies in other towns are in motion. The trees around the "Square" want righting, and there is room for more, but not exactly of the 'same sort.' What a beautiful "green spot" we might have if the public square was attended to. We hope our "town Fathers" will appropriate the proceeds from the sale of grass in making handsome walks, setting out trees, and keeping down weeds. We wait for a movement.

☞ Flour and grain is on the decline. This is good news for the poor and hungry. There is a great abundance of breadstuffs at the West. 220,000 barrels of flour is stored at Toronto, in Canada—vast quantities of wheat on the upper lakes, all waiting for the opening of spring navigation. There is no fear of a famine. We can all live, and sufficient left to feed Europe.

☞ The Boston Herald is one of the best papers which comes to our office. We like to read it, but often regret that the editor, being a distiller of rum, should express such harsh opinions against those who differ with him on the Maine Law. There is a want of liberality in this, which does not coincide with his doctrine of a neutral paper. It is tainted with the cask. The Herald is spicy.

☞ Hon. Charles Sumner will please accept our thanks for public documents.

On Saturday, as the steamship Keystone State was entering the Delaware bay, a man was discovered secreted outside of the vessel under the guards. On inquiry he was found to be a fugitive slave, who had hidden himself on board before the vessel sailed on the Wednesday previous, where he had remained in the same position up to the time of his discovery. His situation was such that the water swept over and round him almost constantly. In his pockets was found bread, on which alone he had intended to subsist until he could reach this city. His scanty provisions were saturated with salt water and dissolved to a pulp. The vessel had met with high winds, so that the fugitive must have suffered severely in his confined position. On reaching New Castle, he was lodged in jail at that place to await the order of his owner in Savannah. [Philadelphia Gazette.

The examination of Samuel Hillard, on the charge of murdering James L. Warren of Natick, was concluded before Justices Sabine and Adams, Tuesday. Wm. F Felch, Reuben A. Dudley, Augustus Leach, Asa J. Warren, (brother of the deceased,) Harding Partridge, Samuel Emerson, Geo. A. Theobold, Dr. Ira Russell, Dr. Austin W. Whitney, and Dr. John Hoyt, were examined for government.

No witnesses were introduced for the defence. The Court decided that the evidence introduced was sufficient to order the accused to be fully committed to jail to await the action of the Grand Jury. H. A. Brown appeared for the Government; H. D. Stone of Worcester, and G. A. Somerby of Waltham for the defence.

A bucket full, or more, of copper coin, was found yesterday by the workmen, while excavating for cellars on land in Atkinson street, lately purchased by Hon. Abbot Lawrence. The specimens laid upon our desk bear dates of 1736 and 1759. They were issued in the reign of George II, and have the phizzes of very jolly looking individuals. The coin was found six feet below the surface. [Bee.

The New York Times says that a novel point of law was decided in that city, a few days since, by Justice McCarthy. The lease of a house had been given to a person for a series of years, in compensation for which it was agreed that he should give his notes at the close of each quarter, payable ninety days thereafter. The notes were regularly given, but in default of the prompt payment of one of them, the landlord brought an action of ejectment on plea of noncompliance with the terms of the lease. This was over-ruled by the Court, who decided that an agreement to receive negotiable notes of a tenant in lieu of money, stood good to the end of the lease notwithstanding the notes might not be paid.

The majority against the Maine law at the late election in Detroit was 331. The supreme court of Michigan has decided that the law is constitutional. The Maryland legislature was dissolved on Friday, all the liquor bills before it having been thrown out.

The following gem of a resolution was adopted at a recent Whig Convention in New Haven county, Connecticut:—

Resolved, That if the South seeks agitation, the South shall have it—and that Freedom shall go South before Slavery shall come North.

We continue to receive accounts from Western New York and the neighborhood of the Lakes, of the terrific character of the gale which visited that section of country, and extended to this vicinity last week. The papers from the towns along the Hudson abound in details of injury to houses, manufactories, churches, warehouses, piers, railroad depots, &c, &c, occasioned by the terrible gale, the like of which has not been experienced in that vicinity for half a century. The damage done to a single iron manufactory in West Troy is set down at over $12,000, not including the loss to 100 workmen occasioned by the necessary suspension of business. Very few marine disasters on the lakes are yet reported, and it is hoped, from the earliness of the season, but few vessels were exposed on the lakes. An English steamer from Toronto had a narrow escape.

A few days ago the Coroner held a post-mortem examination upon the body of a little girl, named Vandersllce, who died from the effects of a blow received from a stone thrown by a boy, some two weeks since in the neighborhood of Second and Washington streets. The unfortunate girl had been playing in front of her parents' residence, when the lad who caused her death came along and attempted to take something from her hand. Very naturally she struggled to save her toy. The boy then moved off some distance, and threatened to hit her with a stone if she did not yield the object of his cupidity. On refusing, he threw the stone and struck her fairly on the forehead. The injured child was taken to her home, where she lingered until Sunday morning, when death terminated her sufferings. Philad. Gazette.

It is supposed by the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser that the New York canals will not be opened before the 1st of May "as the great quantity of frost remaining in the ground, in consequence of the very little snow that fell during the past season, renders it impracticable to open them before that date. It is said that there is more frost in the ground at the present time than there has been for the last twenty years."

The Crystal Palace directors have agreed to apply to the Legislature for an extension of its charter. The committee of investigation have reported that the association owes about $170,000, and that the loss by the exhibition, this year, is over $119,000; about $384 per day. It appears that the company has sunk its whole capital, 489,000, all its receipts, about $380 000, and is in debt $170,000, total $1,039,000.

The son of M. Salazar, who cut off the ears of the Texan prisoners in 1841, was lately murdered by the Indians near the Arkansas; and two men were killed by bears, in January.

Gen. Sam Houston will leave here in the course of a few days, and it is believed that he will resign his seat in the Senate, and retire to his farm—at all events till 1856. So says a Washington letter.

John Hastings, collector of the port, was knocked down in Allegany, Pittsburg, on Friday night, and robbed of two hundred and fifty dollars, a gold watch, and key of custom house doors and safe. The robbers then entered the custom house, and stole a bag containing $10,000 in twenty dollar gold pieces. Mr Hastings is in a dangerous condition.

A large increase of Massachusetts banking capital is proposed. The petitions for new banks and increase of capital stock, now in the hands of legislative committee, we understand, include a sum exceeding seventeen millions of dollars.

We learn that the wife of Elbridge H. Eames committed suicide by hanging, in Holleston, on the 10th inst. She was 27 years of age, and has left four children under six years of age.

A serious accident occurred on the New London and Palmer Railroad on the 13th inst. A passenger car attached to a freight train going from New London to Willimantic, when near to North Windham was thrown from the track down an embankment, turning over in its course, and lodging on a stump, which was driven through the car. There were sixteen pasengers in the car at the time—fifteen of whom were more or less injured. Rev Mr Tilden, of Willimantic, was considerably hurt.

Mr. Samuel Herman, merchant of Boston, has recently presented 1000 dollars to the Washington Total Abstinance Society of that city.

At New Haven on Thursday and Friday last, the crocuses were in bloom. On the Sunday following, early in the morning, the mercury stood at only 16 degrees above zero.

☞ Several communications intended for this day's paper, are unavoidably crowded out.

Priscilla; *or Trials for the Truth.* By J Banvard. Boston: Heath & Graves, 79 Cornhill, 1854. 12mo.

It is a stubborn and mortifying fact of history, that the Puritans, who fled from persecution in the fatherland, themselves became persecutors on the shores of New England. It is with this fact that Mr. Banvard deals in the volume before us. Beneath a thin veil of fiction lies visible and manifest to all eyes the solid and substantial "stuff of which history is made." The author, who wields a not unpractised pen, has performed his task at once considerately and faithfully. The work is highly entertaining, as well as useful and instructive. It will doubtless command a wide circulation.

Sunshine in the Palace and Cottage; *or Bright Extremes in Human Life*, By L. B. Urbino. Boston: Heath & Graves, 79 Cornhill. 1854. 12mo., pp. 239.

This week is understood to be the virgin effort of its fair authoress. As such it is very creditable both to her head and heart. The heroine of the tale, at different points in her career, occupied the widest extremes of human condition; but somehow her nature was always so brimfull of goodness and piety, that she carried with her an exhuberance of sunshine wherever she went. The solution of the mystery which for a time hung over her origin, though in some sort painful, only serves to illustrate and exalt her real worth. If what we have said shall excite curiosity and induce our readers to procure the book and read it for themselves, our object will have been accomplished.

The above books are beautifully bound and neatly printed.

☞ We had an article prepared for this day's paper, on the report of the Board of Education, but are obliged to defer it till next week.

The Hon. Nathan Preston, a gentleman belonging to an old Revolutionary and Puritan family seated at Litchfield, Conn., has just died, leaving a large fortune, amounting to from $150,000, to $200,000, in money, stocks and lands in parts of the country, but principally at Pittsburg. It seems that Mr. Preston was an uncle, on the maternal side, of Mr. Joseph A Scoville, editor of the Pick, of this city, who is the only heir to this vast estate. Quite a windfall to a hard working editor, if things should take their proper course, and the right heir get his own. [N. Y. Herald.]

According to the Census of 1850, the slave population of Kentucky amounted to 210,981. By a recent State census it appears that the slaves now number less than 200,000, giving a decrease of about 11,000, within the last four years. The above figures indicate a large slave emigration from the State. It appears very evident that Kentucky cannot remain among the permanent slave States.

Mr. Henry Yates, an old and respected citizen of Albany, expired yesterday morning, in the 84th year of his age. Christopher Yates father to the deceased, took an active part in the Revolution, and was a commissioner of Forfeitures after our Independence was achieved.

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Twelve clergymen of Concord, N. H., have recently forwarded a memorial to President Pierce to arrest the passage of the Nebraska bill, by his veto. Among them is the pastor of the church at which the President has always worshipped.

The rhinoceros "Gunger," which has been on exhibition at Herr Driesbach's Menagerie, in Broadway, during the past winter, died a few days since. His death is supposed to have been caused by internal injuries, received last summer, by falling through a bridge, a distance of thirty feet. He was brought to the United States, from Calcutta, about four years ago, and was ten years of age. He was valued at ten thousand dollars, though he could not have been bought for that sum one week previous to his death. Mr. Barnum took possession of the mortal remains.

The house of Mr. Jones, drover, near Thomasville, Ga., was entered on the night of the 15th, during the absence of Mr J., and robbed of over five thousand dollars in money, among which was about thirty-three one hundred dollar bills, mostly on the Marine and Fire Insurance Bank of Savannah.

James Warren, who was stabbed at Natick in the gambling fray, died on Saturday morning, and Samuel Hillard is in custody for examination next week. Hillard has a wife and several children, the oldest of whom, a young lady of eighteen, was to have been married on Sunday. Warren is said to have been married but a week ago.

The Washington correspondent of the Evening Post says, "I learned that Mr. Mercy has nearly completed his negotiations for a treaty about the fisheries, with Mr. Crampton, and that as soon as it is ratified he intends to withdraw from the Cabinet.

In England, in the six months from January to June, the railways carried 45,630,306 passengers; in the accidents, a hundred and forty-eight persons were killed. The gross receipts of the French railroads, last year, amounted to 162,503,405 francs—thirty millions more than in 1852.

The Maine Liquor Law passed the House in Albany N.Y., on the 22nd inst, by ayes 78, nays 42—to go into effect the 1st of May.

The Law also passed the Pennsylvania Legislature on the 22nd inst by a vote of 50 yeas to 44 nays.

E. O. Laughton, Esq., of Exeter, now engaged in the telegraph business, has secured the right to construct a telegraphic line (Morse's) from Plymouth through Centre Harbor, Meredith Bridge, Sanbornton, Concord, and Manchester, N. H., to intersect with the Maine telegraph at Lawrence, and of course with all the lines in the United States.

John Toothaker, of Phillips, Maine, in felling a tree near the shore of Lake Mooselimaguntic, struck his axe against a stone weighing thirty-three pounds. The stone was four feet from the ground, in the centre of a perfectly sound pine tree, two feet in diameter, and green and smooth.

Hon. Malcom Cameron, Postmaster General of Canada, writes to E. C. Delevan, Esq., of Albany, that all papers devoted exclusively to temperance, education, science and agriculture, pass free to and from every post office in Canada.

The Morris Canal is open for navigation. All necessary repairs have been made, and the canal is now in a good condition. It is anticipated that there will be a large increase of business this season over last year. The canal was closed on the 17th of last December.

Special Notices.

OLIO!

The subscriber will give another of his Grand Declamation Olio's, on Tuesday evening next, (weather permitting,) at the Town Hall. Suitable prizes will be awarded to those declaiming best.

Tickets 12½ cents—to be procured at E. E. Cooper's, at this office, or at the door. Public attendance is respectfully solicited. FRANK TAYLOR.

Woburn, March 24, 1854.

For Sale in Winchester.

1000 APPLE TREES of superior quality, consisting in part of Baldwin, Porter, Dutch Codlin, Hubbardston Nonsuch, Northern Spy.

☞ Please call and examine. LORING EMERSON

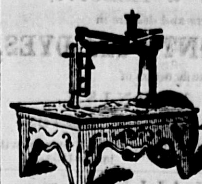
Winchester, March 22, 1854. 8t

BOYS' CLOTHING.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT of Boy's Clothing, just received, which will be sold at the lowest rates, for cash, by J. W. HAMMOND.

Woburn, March 23, 1854. tf

Woburn Machine Sewing Factory.



THE subscriber, having taken the building, corner of Ockley Court and Main street, is prepared to do all kinds of Machine Sewing, on cloth or leather to all who may favor him with their patronage. He would say that his work is done on the Dorcas Machine, and cannot be surpassed for neatness or strength by any sewing machine in use. M. ALLEN.

Woburn, March 13, 1854. tf

FOR SALE.

A GOOD second-hand PIANO. Terms easy—by J. W. HAMMOND.

March 14, 1854. tf

Southern Dried Fruit.

6000 lbs superior Southern Dried Apples.
2000 " " " Peaches.
for sale by THOS. SLEATER & Co.,
Mch 17, 1854—tf Fosters' wharf.

Saddles and Harnesses.

THE subscriber invites the attention of the public to his large assortment of SADDLES, comprising every variety of Gentlemen's, both Plain and Shafto. Ladies, Misses and Boy do., of various styles

Also, Mexican and Columbia Saddles, easy articles for invalids.

Riding Bridles of every description.

Chaise, Buggy, Carryall and Express Harnesses.

Also, HORSE DRESSES, both summer and winter.

The above mentioned articles are of his own manufacture, and purchasers may rely upon obtaining a good article at a fair price

Also, constantly on hand, Carriage and Entry MATS, Fly Nets, Brushes, Whips, Chamois, Leathers, &c., &c.

Military Horse Equipments to Let.

☞ All orders promptly executed.

JOSEPH S. READ,
No. 26 Sudbury street, Boston,
between Portland st. and Haymarket Square.
Boston, March 18, 1854. 3m

FOR SALE,

A LARGE Size, latest style, nearly new COOKING STOVE. Also a superior Parlor Stove. Call at this Office. feb11

HOUSE AND LAND FOR SALE.

A House, containing 8 rooms, with sheds adjoining. Also, 1 large blacksmith's shop, with about 16 acres of land, consisting of tillage and pasturing, and a very nice orchard, situated in the westerly side of Woburn on Cambridge street. Said place will be sold on the most reasonable terms, on application to the subscriber near the premises. JONAS HALE.

N. B. If not sold by the first of April, the house and shop will be to let. mar4—tf

NEW STORE

—AND—

NEW GOODS.

LUKE GOVE would respectfully inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity, that he has opened a fresh stock of

FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS,

in the store lately occupied by Hiram Flagg, FOWLE'S BLOCK, Main street, and he will sell every article of his stock at the lowest prices for cash.

☞ Please call and look before you buy.

March 11 tf.

SPRING STYLE HATS.

A GOOD assortment of HATS and CAPS, of the latest patterns, for sale by

J. W. HAMMOND,
Fowle's Block.

Extra Fine Polish

FOR cleaning and polishing Silver Spoons and all kinds of Silver and Britania Ware—12½ cents per box. W. M. WESTON.

CARPETINGS!

WM. P. TENNY & CO.
RAILROAD HALL,
Haymarket Square, Boston,
Importers of
ENGLISH CARPETINGS,
of the following descriptions, viz:
Superior and Medium Velvet Pile,
" " Brussels,
" " Tapestry Brussels,
" " Kidderminster,
Floor Oil Cloths, Rugs, Mats, &c.

We have in store a great variety of choice patterns for Spring, also, American carpetings, Bigelow Brussels, Lowell 3 ply and Ingrains, and almost every description to be found in the market, at the lowest price.

Boston, March 18, 1854. tf

Warren Academy.

THE Summer Term of this institution will commence Wednesday, April 5th, under the charge of John J. Ladd, A. B., Principal.

Miss Mary A. Cole, Teacher of painting and drawing of every style; also embroidery. She will also instruct in speaking French, Spanish, Italian.

Mrs. John J. Ladd will instruct in vocal and instrumental music with the piano forte.

A large class of young men has been formed during the past term, for the purpose of qualifying themselves for accountants and book-keepers. Any wishing to pursue this branch will be accommodated.

Those wishing it will find ample accommodations for board at the Academy boarding house, on reasonable terms.

S. CUTTER, Secretary for the board of Trustees.

Woburn, March 1st. 5w

Woburn High School.

THE next Examination of the Woburn High School will take place at the Grammar School room, in District No. 1, on Friday, the 24th inst. The examination will continue from 8½ A. M., till 11½; and from 1½ P. M. till 4½. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the Superintending Committee.
J. P. CONVERSE, Chairman.
Woburn, March 3d. 1854. 3w

For Sale or to Let.

THREE valuable Cornopeans. Also, Violins, Guitars, and Flutes. W. M. WESTON.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Saturday the 15th day of April next, at 4 o'clock P. M., on the premises, all the right, title, and interest which Marshall Tidd, late of Woburn, in the county of Middlesex, had, at the time of his decease, in and to the following described real estate, viz:—About two acres of land situated on Salem street, near the residence of Mr. Luke Tidd, in said Woburn; and also about one acre of land adjoining the northeasterly corner of the above lot.

Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale.

For further particulars apply to
JOSHUA P. CONVERSE, *Administrator*, or
WM. WINN, Jr., Auctioneer.
Woburn, March 15th, 1854. 3t

REAL ESTATE
—AT—
AUCTION.

WILL be offered at Auction, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., on the premises, a new story and a half House and a woodshed, with about 1-3 of an acre of land, with a good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated in Woburn, on Central Square, on the westerly side of a new street, running out of Lowell street, and is about 3-4 of a mile from Woburn Centre, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, and the Branch Railroad Depot, and affords a good opportunity to any person to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn.

ALSO, at the same time and place, will be sold some articles of personal property, viz: 1 Secretary, chairs, crockery, glass and tin ware, 1 cooking stove, 1 parlor do., together with several other articles not mentioned.

By order of MRS. RHODA McINTIRE.
WM. WINN JR., Auct'r.
Woburn, Feb. 27th, 1854. 4w

Administrator's Sale
OF
Real Estate.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on Friday, the 24th day of March next, at 3 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, all the Real Estate of the late Elkanah E. Foss, deceased, situated on Lexington street, about half a mile from the Centre Village of Woburn, being the late residence of said Foss.

Said real estate consists of about three-quarters of an acre of land, with house and good well of water thereon, and is well supplied with choice fruit trees, situated on the south side of Lexington street, also about one-third acre of land, suitable for a house lot, with a shop thereon, situated on the north side of Lexington street, and in the immediate vicinity of good schools, churches, post office, and branch railroad depot, and affords a favorable opportunity for any gentleman to obtain a good location in the pleasant village of Woburn. Said estate is encumbered by a mortgage, and will be sold subject to such claim.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold a few articles of personal property, viz, a lot of lumber, wheelbarrow, farming tools, &c. Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

MOSES J. PERSONS, Administrator.
WM. WINN, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Feb. 22 1854.

J. W. HAMMOND,

GRATEFUL for the liberal patronage of his friends and the public the past season, will endeavor to keep the largest and best selected stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS,

Ever offered to the citizens of Woburn, which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

His stock of OVERCOATS consists of every style and fabric, from an elegant BROADCLOTH, to the heavy BEAVER, or PILOT CLOTH, which are made in a superior manner, to his own order.

A large assortment of

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises. Umbrellas, Carpet-Bags. &c.

FOWLE'S BLOCK.

Clocks! Clocks!! Clocks!!!

JUST received a lot of Brass Clocks, which will be sold low and warranted. Prices from $1 to $10.
WM. WESTON.

ALL kinds of Gold, Silver and Steel Bowed Spectacles. New Glasses fitted to old Bows.
W. M. WESTON.

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, being unable to give his attention to the penholder business, owing to other arrangements, will offer for sale the stock, machinery, and good will of his manufactory, to a cash customer.
M. ALLEN.
Woburn, March 13th, 1854. tf

M. TEARE,
MILLINARY ROOMS,
Opposite J. S. Ellis & Co's Store.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has enlarged her store, and has just purchased in Boston the largest and most splendid stock of MILLINERY GOODS ever offered in this place. This stock consists of a great variety of Bonnets, of every description; a very large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, of splendid styles; a great variety of Silks, for Drawn Bonnets, Lace Veils, Wrought Collars, Gloves Hosiery, and a thousand other articles too numerous to mention. Mourning Goods and Mourning Bonnets, and Ready Made Dress Caps, alway on hand.

Old Bonnets altered into the latest style, Bleached and Pressed, at short notice, and warranted to give satisfaction.
M. TEARE.
oct 18 tf

Bay State and Waterloo Shawls!
CHANDLER & CO.
Have now in store BAY STATE and WATERLOO
Long and Square Shawls
In the new and desirable styles. Likewise, a assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,
To which they invite the attention of purchasers.
NOS. 6 & 8 SUMMER ST., BOSTON.
nov5 tf

Baskets and Reticules.

A VARIETY of Ladies Baskets and Reticules, of the latest styles for sale at the Woburn Book store.

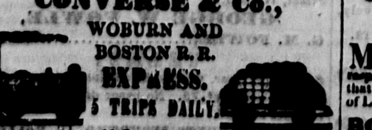
COAL! COAL!!

THE subscriber having purchased the Coal Yard and fixtures of Wm. E. Young & Co., begs leave to inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that he is prepared to supply them with Coal of the best quality, as cheap as can be afforded, and by strict attention to business hopes to merit their patronage.

Also constantly on hand for sale Lime and Cement of the best quality.
AMOS LOCKE.

☞ Orders left at the Yard, or with C. S. Converse, Expressman, will be promptly attended to.
Woburn, Oct. 8, 1853.

CONVERSE & Co.,



WOBURN AND BOSTON R. R.
EXPRESS.
5 TRIPS DAILY.

Offices: { 16 Court Square, Boston, R. R. Depot, Woburn Centre.
Orders for Goods, Packages, &c., promptly executed
Particular attention given to collecting and paying Notes Drafts, Bills, &c.
april 3tf

WILLIAM WINN, JR.,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER,
Burlington, Mass
Sales of Real and Personal Estate attended to on reasonable terms.
All orders left at this OFFICE, will be promptly attended to,
oct 15

DAVIS & CO.,
REAL ESTATE AGENTS,
Office No. 5, Traveller Buildings.
(Entrance No 1 Congress Square and No. 5 Congress st.)
BOSTON.

Real Estate bought and sold, Mortgages negotiated, Titles examined, Conveyances made, &c.

The attention of the citizens of Boston and vicinity is particularly called to our list of Real Estate, embracing some of the most desirable city and suburban property, dwellings, stores, farms, &c., now in market.
Boston, Feb. 11, 1854. tf

To Tanners and Curriers.

JUST received, three cases of prime thick Boots, manufactured of Shaved Leather, by J. Fletcher.
At Shoe Store of AUGUSTUS ROUNDY.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and customers that he has just received a good assortment of ALL WOOL plaided

Doeskin Frock Coats,

(A new style) to which he invites your attention before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, all kinds of Clothing, of every desirable style and pattern, cheap for cash.
WILLIAM A. MILES,
No. 8, Wade's Block, Woburn.
Feb. 11. 3w

Small Farm to Let in Wilmington.

Will be let for one or more years, the farm of the late John Flagg, in Wilmington, near the depot of the B. & L. R. R. This is a rare opportunity for any person who wishes to connect farming with some other business.

☞ The above will be let on the most reasonable terms.

For further particulars enquire of CHA'S FLAGG,
feb 11 3w Woburn Centre

LOST!

ON Monday, Feb. 6, in or near the store of G. R. Gage or A. E. Thompson, one $100 bill, one $50 bill. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at this office.
CHARLES BOND
Feb. 6, 1854. tf

Real Estate for Sale.

THE subscriber proposes to sell at private sale, the place called the Wyman Place, at the corner of Franklin street and Franklin Avenue, well stocked with the choicest of fruit trees, having a house, with twelve rooms, thereon.

Also, the James Cutter Place, containing about one acre of land, with a great variety of fruit trees of the best quality—having a small house and stable thereon—about a quarter of a mile northerly from the common in Woburn.

Also, a double tenement two-story house on Ockley Court, with about 6000 feet of land. Also, a lot of land 10 by 80 feet, with a shop upon the same, on said Ockley Court.

Also, about 1-3 of an acre of land on Hovey street, with three houses thereon, now occupied and leased by S B. Cutter.

Also, a new house, with about 3200 feet of land on an avenue leading from Railroad street to Ockley Court.

Refer to Mr. Stephen Cutter, at his former residence on Walnut street, or, in case of his absence, to J. M. Randall, Esq., or to Mr. Oliver Bacon.
STEPHEN CUTTER.
Woburn, Feb. 4th, 1854. tf

O. LAPPEN & CO.,
(Successors to P. Dickinson & Co.)
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
WOODEN WARE,

Rattans, Cane Poles, Brooms, Mats, Baskets, Willow Ware, Riddles, Sieves, Wire Sales, &c., &c.
NO. 26 DOCK SQUARE, BOSTON.
☞ Orders for exportation to any part of the world will receive prompt attention.
O. LAPPEN, J. LAPPEN, E. S. BRIDGMAN.
jan 21 tf

Commissioners Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Middlesex. to receive and examine the claims of the creditors to the estate of William T. Choate, late of Woburn, in said county, deceased, testate, represented insolvent; and six months from the fifteenth day of January, 1854, are allowed by the Judge to the creditors to bring in and prove their claims; and they will attend that service at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in said Woburn, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February next, from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and at the same place on Tuesday March 7th, from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.
CYRUS THOMPSON, } *Commissioners.*
BOWEN BUCKMAN, }
Woburn. Jan. 13, 1854. tf

MENZIES & WHITE.
—DEALERS IN—
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC DRY GOODS
371 Washington Street,
Next Door to the "Adams House,"..........BOSTON
G MENZIES H. H WHITE
One Price...All Representations Warranted
jan 24 1y

HUNTING & EATON,
EATING HOUSE,
No. 37 NORTH MARKET STREET,
HERMAN HUNTING, } BOSTON
MARCUS EATON, }
☞ *Hot meals at all hours of the day.*

Isaac Babbitt's Celebrated
TOILET SOAPS AND CREAMS

BECK & CO., PROPRIETORS
No. 120 Washington street, Boston.
General agents for BOSTON CHEMICAL WASHING POWDER, manufacturers and Dealers in choicest Perfumery, Hair Oils, and Hair Dyes July 9 tf

HAMS! HAMS!!
1000 POUNDS just received by
m26 J. S. ELLIS

ALMANACS FOR 1854.

EVERY variety of almanac, Old Farmer's, Leavitt's. Brown's Christian, Family, etc. Also pocket almanacs and diaries for every day in the year, in various states, For sale wholesale and retail at the Woburn Book store. Dec. 17.

Persian Sherbet,

A New and healthy drink, for sale by SAMUEL C. SWEETSER. my 21 tf

OYSTERS

AT 80 CENTS PER GALLON, in large or small quantities.
N. B. Fresh Fish constantly received at the lowest Market Price.
☞ Clam Chowder every Saturday evening.
A. F. UNION.
Woburn, Dec. 3d, 1853. tf

WASHING FLUID

FOR sale by the pint, quart or gallon. It is the same kind that Hiram Flagg formerly made. At E.E Cooper's Drug Store. No. 5 and 6 Wade's Buildings.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS.
CASH STORE!

MR. B F. Wyer having sold his stock of goods and relinquished his business to the subscriber, he would respectfully inform the former patrons and the public, that he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Ladies', Misses', and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS.

Also a good assortment of Gents.' Boys' and Youths'

BOOTS and SHOES,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Umbrellas, and Carpet Bags. A complete assortment of Boot and Shoe Kit, and Findings.

Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes made to order.
☞ Boots, Shoes and Rubbers neatly repaired.
ARTEMAS WOOD, Jr., (Successor of B F. Wyer,)
Wade's Building.
Woburn, Oct. 27, 1853. tf

DRESS SILKS.—Black, and other Dress Silks, a good assortment, at
march 25 W. WOODBERRY'S.

METROPOLITAN
FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.,
(Incorp'd, Feb. 19, 1853, by the Legislature of Massachusetts)
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON,
Capital, $300,000,
OFFICE, NO. 14 STATE STREET,
INSURES
Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture, Vessels in Port, and their Cargoes, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire, and Maritime Losses.

DIRECTORS.

Samuel S. Lawrence,..........	Lyman C. Thayer,
Lewis Rice,..........	I. F. Conkey,
Ralph W. Holman,..........	Z. M. Crane,
Gilbert A Smith,..........	Luther Monson,
A. J. Mitchell,..........	Thomas Cone,
Samuel S. Perkins,..........	Giles Wheeler,
Eben Cutler,..........	E. B. Isham.

LUTHER MONSON, *President.*
E. W. THAYER, *Secretary.*

The Subscriber has been appointed Agent for the above Co., for Woburn and vicinity, and will promptly attend to all calls for Insurance, at the office of the Journal.
G. M. FOWLE.
Woburn, September 17, 1853.

THE HARTFORD
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
Incorporated in 1849.
CAPITAL $100,000,

Securely invested, as approved by the comptroller of Public accounts.

President, James Dixon. *Vice Pres't,* W. T. Hooker. *Secretary,* Henry L. Miller.

Directors—James Dixon, Chester Adams, Henry Perkins, William Mather, William T. Hooker, Elisha Colt, Newton Case, Elisha T. Smith, Sheldon P. Thacher. Samuel Woodruff, Elijah C. Kellogg, William H. Gilbert, William Boardman, James B. Powell Nathan M. Waterman, Lyman Stockbridge, Horace Belden.

T. RICKARD. M. D., of Woburn, has been appointed medical examiner for Middlesex county.

Office of the company, Post-Office Building, south side State-house Square.

The subscriber has been appointed agent for Middlesex county, and fixed his bonds according to law; and is prepared to receive applications for Life Insurance at Fowle' book store, where written forms for application can be had.
G. M. FOWLE.

Hamilton Fire Insurance Co.,
SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS,
CAPITAL
$150,000.

This Company continues to effect Insurance on favorable terms. It has a large amount of property insured is doing an extensive business, and is making large dividends to its members.

E. A. WILSON, General Agent for Woburn and vicinity. dec17 tf

Fire Insurance.

THE subscriber has been appointed agent for the Lowell Traders' and Mechanics' Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and will receive applications at his office, in Woburn, for insurance upon all kinds of property usually insured by mutual companies
June 23, tf JAMES M RANDALL.

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

THE Subscribers have recently received a large and desirable assortment of American and English Dry Goods, consisting of bleached and unbleached cottons, Calicoes of all prices and varieties, Table Linens, Hosiery, Shawls of all varieties, Toweling, white and brown Linens, Laces, Veils, a large assortment of trimings and braids, together with every article in the housekeeping line of dry goods.

Also, a large assortment of SEWING SILKS, received direct from the Northampton Factory, consisting of all the various colors, and superior quality, which are offered at wholesale or retail. Our country customers will meet with prompt attention.

LIBBY & BROTHER,
No. 206 and 208 Hanover street,
Under Rev. Mr. Streeter's Church,
BOSTON.
Boston, Jan. 21 1854. tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons who are indebted to the subscriber, are requested to call at Edward E. Cooper's, and make payment immediately. As I am about to leave town, it will confer a great favor if those indebted will call and settle soon.
HIRAM FLAGG.

OATS AND POTATOES.

2000 Bushels Potatoes; 2500 Bushels Oats.
Produce of Prince Edward Island. For sale by
THOS. SLEATER & CO.,
Foster's Wharf, Boston.

CORSETS.

A LARGE and selected assortment always on hand, and for sale, at the Millinery Rooms of M. TEARE, Main street, opposite J. S. Ellis' store. jan21tf

LION BOOTS!!

JUST received, 2 cases of the celebrated DOUBLE French calf DOUBLE sole Boots.
At the Shoe Store of A. ROUNDY.
jan 21.

Mrs. C. C. Stimpson

BEGS leave to announce to the ladies of Woburn and vicinity, that she has purchased the stock of Mrs. Augustus Roundy, and opened a shop in Allen's Building, 2d door north of the depot, for the transaction of Millinery and Dress Making business. She intends to keep a small but choice stock of embroideries and dress trimmings, as well as millinery.

All orders will be promptly attended to and neatly executed.
Woburn, Oct 27th, 1853. tf

RUBBERS! RUBBERS!!

Gents.' Rubber Boots.
Gents.' Rubber Shoes.
Ladies' Rubber Boots.
Ladies' Rubber Shoes.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
At the Store of A. Roundy. oct28

S. C. SWEETSER,

WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Woburn and the adjoining towns, that he has thoroughly refitted his well-known saloon for the accomodation of the public generally; and thankful for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to satisfy those who may give him a call.
may28tf

IMPORTANT TO GENTLEMEN.

GENTLEMEN of Woburn and vicinity, who are in want of Clothing, (a good article made to order,) are invited to call and examine my goods. They will always find a large assortment to select from.

The plan which has been adopted at this establishment works well; which is not to charge *cash customers* 25 per cent. to offset bad debts; but those who pay *cash*, have the benefit of cash.

I find many who like the plan. In a word you will be dealt with as if I expect to see you again. Try me once and see if these things be true.

ROOMS, 96 Washington St., Boston.
oly30 1y GEO. N. NICHOLS.

Hair Dye Applied Satisfactorily,

OR NO CHARGE. The best Dye in the market, for sale by the subscriber, and applied on his premises, to ladies and gentlemen, so as to give perfect satisfaction, or no charge will be made,—at the Comb and Perfumery Store of A. S. JORDAN, 191 Washington st. six doors North of Bromfield street. aug 20—tf

BOOK-KEEPING.

THOSE wishing to form a class in Bookkeeping or writing will please apply soon, to the subscriber on Salem street, Woburn. School, Wednesday and Friday evenings.
J. A. BOUTELLE.
Woburn, Dec 29, 1853.

FLETCHER'S BOOTS.

JUST received Fletcher's double Kip Boots; Fletcher's double Calf Boots; Fletcher's Monument Boots, at the store of
AUG'S ROUNDY,
Corner of Railroad and Main streets.

WINCHESTER ADVERTISEMENTS

Dr. William Ingalls,

LATE Physician and Surgeon to the U. States Marine Hospital at Chelsea, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Winchester and vicinity. His residence is that lately owned and occupied by Col. S. B. White.
Winchester, September 10, 1853. tf

COAL! COAL!!

THE Subscribers have recently received a full supply of very superior Red and White ash coal, prepared expressly for family use, and are ready to furnish families in Winchester and vicinity, at the lowest market price. Also, about 200 tons of White ash broken coal, for steam engines and large furnaces.
Winchester, Sept. 1, 1853. BAYLEY & CO tf

Bay State Glass Company.

THIS company have erected extensive buildings at East Cambridge, where they are manufacturing all descriptions of

Flint Glass Ware,

In every variety, for exportation and domestic trade, and invite all interested in Flint Glass Ware, to call and examine their large assortment of Tumblers, Oil and Fluid Lamps, Lanterns, Dishes, Cut and Plain Shades, chimnies, all of new and desirable patterns, always on hand. They have also a large assortment of Apothecaries', Druggists' and Perfumers' Glass Ware, on hand and made to order. Particular attention paid to private moulds, which are kept strictly private.

Orders left at store 44 Kilby street, Boston, where a large assortment is kept for sale, or at the Factory at East Cambridge, will meet with prompt attention.
N. S. CATE, Agent.
East Cambridge, Jan. 7, 1854. tf

62 CENTS

FOR GENUINE JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS' FOUR BLADE STAG HANDLE CONGRESS KNIVES with file blade, Ivory Handled do. for 70 cents. Also, a large assortment of POCKET KNIVES, with one to six blades, from the best English and American Makers.—Rodgers', Braithwaith's (Lanz), and other good maker's. SCISSORS of every description. R. Heinisch's, and Leonard & Wendt's Patent

TAILOR'S SHEARS AND SCISSORS.

Knives and Forks, and Table Cutlery
Of all kinds RAZORS in great variety. English German and American SKATES --- LADIES' SKATES, and a general assortment of American and Foreign Cutlery in all its branches.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail, by
MARTIN L. BRADFORD,
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HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

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Woburn, Jan. 6, 1854. 3m

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A FEW of those Buck Lined Gloves, for sale, cheap for cash, by WM. A. MILES.
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The Train from Woburn at 6.30, and from Boston at 8.30 A. M , carry Freight.
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W. H. OSGOOD,
oct 1 tf Agent B. & L. R. R. Co.

OPENING OF THE
CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN.

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has opened the well-known house, formerly kept by Mr. Sumner Young, (late deceased,) for the accommodation of the travelling community; on the most favorable terms, and in the BEST STYLE It has been thoroughly repaired, and refurnished with new and fashionable furniture It is immediately contiguous to the Woburn Branch Depot, and is centrally located, commanding all the retired and beauty of the country. No pains will be spared in consulting the wishes and studying the comfort of guests. The accommodation for permanent and transient boarders will be found ample and elegant, and special parties will also be entertained in the most prompt and satisfactory manner. A good and spacious hall is connected with the same for balls and parties, refurnished throughout with new fixtures.

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apr 23 tf JOSEPH POCORNY.

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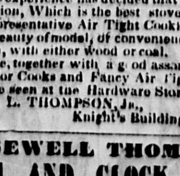

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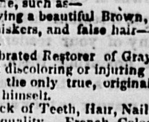

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SPEEDY AND EFFECTUAL CURE!

Those who have failed to find relief from this nauseating and dangerous affection, may rely on a speedy and effectual cure by the use of

EASTMAN'S INFALLIBLE
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It is an article which has long been needed to counteract the evil tendency of this dreadful malady, incapacitating alike for business and pleasure.

Having been used in private practice with great success—never failing to do its work—it is now given to the public with the following undoubted evidence (one of many) of its successful results.

From Matthew Hale Smith, Esq., member of the Suffolk Bar.

BOSTON Nov. 21, 1853.

Messrs. EASTMAN & Co.: Gentlemen—I have long been afflicted with the headache and pain in my head. I have tried many remedies without benefit. Your "Sick Headache Remedy" was mentioned to me, and, though I had but little faith in it, I gave it a trial.

I found great relief from its use, and often, immediate, when suffering great pain. I have, since I tried it, been freer from headache than at any previous time for many years. It is now two months since I have had the headache, and it is not too much to hope that the cure is permanent.

To many sufferers I have recommended the specific, and in no case has it failed to relieve the sick headache, and that immediately.

Your medicine is simple, agreeable to take, interfering with none of the duties of life, and must, I think, be universally adopted.

MATTHEW HALE SMITH.

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Jan. 1854 tf

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DRY GOODS!

The subscribers have just received a large stock of house-keeping goods, and staple articles, which they offer for sale at fair and honest prices. Their stock consists in part of

Sheeting and Shirtings,	Hosery all kinds,
White and Colored Cambrics,	Ribbands all varieties,
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Bed Tickings,	Cassimeres & Doeskins,

Blankets and Counterpanes, Goods for Summer Clothing, with a large variety of small articles for the sewing table and nursery. We are confident of offering to our country customers just such goods as they desire to purchase, and at fair prices, and are pleased at all times to show our goods.

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Boston, apr 23 mos

REMOVAL.

DR. CLOUGH, Surgeon Dentist, has taken rooms in the first building south of Tremont Temple, and nearly opposite the Tremont house, where he will be happy to see his friends and all those who may need the service of a Dentist. jan. 22 tf

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January 21

POETRY.

[From the N. Y. Tribune.]

FARMERS' GIRLS.

Up in the morning, just at the peep of day,
Straining the milk in the dairy, turning the cows away,
Sweeping the floor in the kitchen, making the beds up stairs,
Washing the breakfast dishes, dusting the parlor chairs;

Brushing the crumbs from the pantry, hunting for eggs at the barn,
Cleaning the turnips for dinner, spinning the stocking-yarn,
Spreading the whitening linen down on the bushes below,
Ransacking every meadow, where the red strawberries grow;

Starching the "fixens" for Sunday, churning the snowy cream,
Rinsing the pails and strainer down in the running stream
Feeding the geese and turkies, making the pumpkin pies,
Jogging the little one's cradle, driving away the flies;

Grace in every motion, music in every tone,
Beauty of form and feature thousands might covet to own,
Cheeks that rival spring roses, teeth the whitest of pearls—
One of these country maids is worth a score of your city girls.

H. M. LADD.

North Hero, Vt.

AGRICULTURE.

"He who by the plough would thrive,
Himself must either hold or drive."

CUTTING SCIONS. As the season approaches for this interesting portion of every man's labor who owns or cultivates a farm or garden, some simple directions may not be uninteresting to many of your readers. Many neglect cutting or procuring them, supposing they must be cut at a certain time and kept in a particular manner or they are worthless. It is quite time all such humbugs should be exploded. Some years since I had the variety fever in fruit culture which has continued with little abatement. I have procured and sent scions from and to almost every State from Maine to Missouri; have cut and distributed more than one hundred thousand. So I ought to give directions with more confidence than a "raw hand." After a tree becomes dormant and the leaf falls in October, scions may be cut at any time before the buds again start, which here for seeded fruits is about the last of March or in April. In fact there is no difference in time so far as relates to the value of the scions—the only trouble is to keep them. This may be done for six months or six years, and have them perfect. Scions cut in the fall may be buried in any dry soil in orchard or garden until wanted for use. When one is collecting them during the winter, the best way is to select some place where snow will not become affected by thaw, and bury them in snow as received, taking them out when the snow begins to melt in the spring and transferring them to the ice houses or cellar.

When one cuts scions on his own premises for use or distribution, the best time here generally is the last of March or early in April, as they are then as dormant as in the winter, and less time and trouble to keep them.

KEEPING SCIONS. The only secret is to keep them cool and damp, not wet. The best course I have ever tried is to lay them on a brick floor in a cool cellar, and cover with damp sacking—if the sacking become dry, sprinkle it. In this manner they are kept in perfect order from March until June, and easily taken as wanted. Many plants are recommended, some troublesome and others unsafe. I once had more than 5000 packed in damp pine saw-dust in a warm cellar, and though apparently in perfect order, they became useless.

TRANSPOSITION OF SCIONS. When sent in such quantities as to be sent by express, the winter is the best time—but if sent in the spring, they can be easily sent 1000 miles or more by being packed in damp moss which is well understood by those who sell scions, so that any one wanting can order with assurance of receiving in perfect condition. Amateurs who wish sorts, can, at the present low postage get them by mail. Get a piece of oiled silk, which you can do at any dry goods store—enclose it with two or three stamps to your correspondent, with directions to wrap the scions in it.

Dry Scions.—Scions that have become dry (not injured by water) may be buried in ordinary garden soil one or two weeks and become perfect—which if inserted without may be worthless. This is also the true mode of treating young trees, from dry transportation. Bury the whole tree one or two weeks before planting, and a healthy vigorous growth is obtained instead of a sickly and slow one. [Burlington, Vt.

THE TURNIP FLY. This insiduous insect deposits its eggs in the fall of the year, but the eggs do not hatch till the following spring, when they are vivified by the warmth of the soil, and the young insect usually appears cotemporaneously with the plant on which it is to feed. By stirring the surface of the soil a fortnight or so before the seed and affording a liberal pressing of sulpher, house ashes, soot and salt, in equal parts, as soon as the plant appears, its ravages will be prevented in a degree. The stirring of the soil lets in the solar heat, and the eggs are developed at once, but there being no food ready, the young perish. This is thought to be the most effectual preventive known, and is almost universally adopted in Germany and Great Britain, as well as in the United States and France. [Germantown Telegraph.

The agricultual population forms three-quarters of the individuals of France. There are 29,000,000 of individuals domicilated out of the cities.

The surface of the cultivated lands yields, on an average, $1,030,530,600 (dollars), or $48 per 2½ acres.

The expenses of culture amounted to $601,-252,200, that is $28 per 2½ acres, which are paid as wages to the laborers, or earned by them on their own land.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

Extraordinary Cure of Loss of Health, Disordered Stomach, Indigestion and Determination of Blood to the Head.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. John Lloyd, of Erwwen, near Harlech, Merionethshire.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

SIR,—I avail myself of the first opportunity of informing you, that for a very long period I was afflicted with a dangerous giddiness and frequent swimmings in the head, attended by loss of appetite, disorderd stomach and generally impaired health. Every means had failed to give me any permanent relief, and at length it became so alarming that I was really afraid of going about without an attendant. In this melancholy condition I waited personally upon Mr. Hughes, Chemist, Harlech, for the purpose of consulting him as to what I had better do; he kindly recommended your Pills, I tried them without delay, and after taking them for a short time I am happy to bear testimony to their wonderful efficacy. I am now restored to perfect health, and enabled to resume my usual duties. You are at liberty to publish this letter in any way you may think proper. I am, Sir, your obedient Servant,

June 6th, 1852. (Signed) JOHN LLOYD.

Miraculous cure of Dropsy.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Edward Rowley, Esq., of India Walk, Tobago, April 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY,

DEAR SIR—I deem it a duty I owe to you and the public at large to inform you of a most miraculous recovery from that dreadful disease, DROPSY, and which, under God, was affected by your invaluable Pills, I was tapped five times within eight months, and skilfully treated by two medical practitioners, but could not get cured, until I had recourse to your remedy, and notwithstanding all I had undergone, this miraculous medicine cured me in the course of six weeks.

(Signed) EDWARD ROWLEY.

A dangerous Liver Complaint and Spasms in the Stomach effectually cured.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Bostock, Druggist, of Ashton under Lyne, dated July 31, 1852.

To Professor HOLLOWAY

DEAR SIR,—I have much pleasure in handing to you a testimonial of the efficacy of your Medicines. A person in this neighbourhood with whom I am well acquainted was afflicted for a long time with violent spasmodic pains in the stomach and liver, arising from frequent colds, smells of paint, and the effects of a stooping position which he was obliged to assume in his buisness. The spasms were of an alarming character, and frequently left him in a weak and debilitated condition. At length he heard of the salutary effects of your invluable Pills, and was induced to give them a trial. The first dose gave him considerable relief, and by following them up in accordance with your directions, they have acted so wonderfully in cleansing the liver and stomach, and strengthening the digestive organs that he has been restored to the enjoyment of good health. I remain, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

(Signed) WM. BOSTOCK.

These celebrated Pills are wonderfully efficacious in the following complaints.

Ague,	Fevers of all kinds,	Scrofula, or King's Evil,
Asthma,	Fits,	Sore Throats,
Billous Complaints,	Gout,	Stone & Gravel,
Blotches on the Skin,	Head-ache,	Secondary Symptom
Bowel Complaints,	Indigestion,	Tic Doloureux,
Colics,	Inflamation,	Tumours,
Constipation of the Bowels,	Jaundice,	Ulcers,
Consumption,	Liver Complaint,	Venereal Affections,
Debility,	Lumbago,	Worms of all kinds,
Dropsy,	Piles,	Weakness, from whatever cause,
Dysentery,	Rheumatism,	&c., &c.,
Erysipelas,	Retention of Urine,	
Female Irregularities,		

Sold at the Establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 244 Strand, (near Temple Bar,) London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the United States, in Pots and Boxes, at 37½ cts. 87 and $1.50 cts., each. There is considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

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January 8th, 1853. eow1y

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By using this preparation, much time, labor and expense is saved, and thousands of families in New England give it the preference over all other Saponaceous compounds.

Directions on each package of the Powder. Sold wholesale by BECK & CO., No. 120 Washington St., Boston, and by G. W. FOWLE, Woburn

Dec. 11th, 1852. tf

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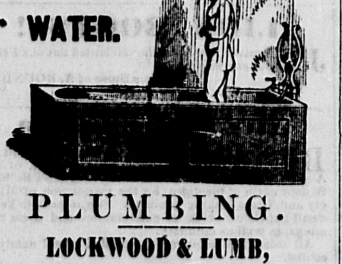

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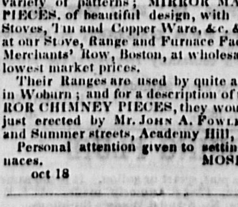

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